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M.L. ARABIA	7003	J. L. Parfitt	1st Dec,
* ORIENTAL	5284	J. F. Jephson	8th ,,
M.L. PERSIA	8000	W. A. Wheler	15th ,,
* CALEDONIA	7558	E. H. Gordon	22nd ,,
M.L. SOBRAON	7382	L. M. Wibmer	29th ,,
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* ORIENTAL	5284	J. F. Jephson	5th Jan.
M. VALETTA	5048	F. N. Tillard	12th ,,
* CALEDONIA	7558	E. H. Gordon	19th ,,
M.L. EGYPT	7922	G. L. Langborne	26th ,,
* ARABIA	7003	J. L. Parfitt	2nd Feb.
M.L. CALEDONIA	7558	E. H. Gordon	9th ,,
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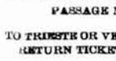

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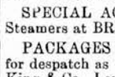

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1. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Audited Accounts and Balance-sheet for the year ending 31st August, 1900.
2. To declare a Dividend.
3. To appoint a Director in the room of one retiring by rotation but who is eligible for re-election, and to confirm the appointment of Mr. Sorabjee Cursetjee Sethna as a Director in place of Bezonjee Pallonjee, deceased.
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By Order,

W. N. SHILSTONE,
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7 Office of the Improvement Trust, Albert Buildings, Hornby Road, Bombay, 8th November, 1900.

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MIRZA MAHOMED SHIRAZEE,
Agent.

1, Ash Lane, Fort, 6th November, 1900.

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Chief Storekeeper's Office, Jhansi, 26th October, 1900.

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L. RIVITT CARNAC,
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Administrator General's Office, High Court, Bombay, 2nd November, 1900.

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Discount Bank of England ..... 4 p. c. unchanged.
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Do Indian Bank Bills .... 4 p. c. "

The following is a statement of the Imports and Exports of Gold and Silver during the week:—

	Imports.	Exports.
Gold Bars	341,100	2,34,875
Gold Coins	14,553	20,34,030
Silver Bars	20,31,613	.....
Silver Coins	2,34,559	8,37,395

The Bank of England Returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results:—

Total Bullion	£ 31,900,000	Inc.	£	200,050
Public Deposits	" 6,800,000	"	"	900,000
Other "	" 39,300,000	"	"	900,000
Other Securities	" 24,800,000	"	"	700,000
Notes and Gold	" 29,200,000	"	"	400,000

The Banks reserve is 44 per cent. of the liabilities.

The Local Cotton Market was firm yesterday in consequence of receipt of telegrams from America and Liverpool reporting higher prices.

Business—

50 bales Oomra at Rs, 212 to 218
300 " Bengal New at Rs. 189
100 " Khandeish at Rs. 203
200 " Bengals at Rs. 192

For Mills—
250 Compta at Rs. 185

WHEAT.—Market quiet but steady; very little business.

White Pessy, 91 per cent, Rs. 35 per candy.
" 85 per cent Rs. 35 per candy.
No. 1 Club Delhi, Rs. 4-3-0 per cwt, April-May 1,001.
Red Delhi, Rs. 4-5-0 April May, 1901.
Hard Yellow, Rs. 4-2-48 per candy, Bazaar terms.
Red Ahmedabad, Rs. 36 per candy, Bazaar terms.
Hard Red, Rs. 35 per candy, Bazaar terms.
Seeds—Market quiet but steady.
Linseed, Rs. 10-9-0 ready, Rs. 8-4-0 May.
Rapeseed, Yellow Guzerat. Rs. 7-12-0, April-May.
" Cawnpore, Rs. 8-9-6 ready, plus Rs. 7-3, April-May.
Gingelly White. Rs. 8-13-0 ready.
Poppyseed Rs. 9-0-0 ready, Rs. 7-15-0, April-May.

CROP PROSPECTS.—In the Bombay Presidency moderate rain fell during the week in parts of Sholapur and there were slight falls in parts of the Karnatak, Kolaba, Ratnagri, Ahmednagar, Poona, Sholapur, Satara, and Kanara. Rain is generally required in Guzerat, the Deccan and the Karnatak for standing crops or for spring cultivation, and is urgently wanted in parts of Ahmadabad, the Panch Mahals, Surat, Ahmednagar, Poona, Satara, Sholapur, Belgaum and Dharwar. Agricultural prospects are otherwise generally good, and famine conditions are diminishing. The standing crops are withering in parts of Ahmedabad, the Panch-Mahals, Surat, Poona, Sholapur, and Dharwar; they have been slightly injured by insects in parts of Thar and Parkar and Ahmednagar, but are in good condition elsewhere. Harvesting of the autumn crops is in progress in parts of Sind, the Konkan, the Deccan, the Karnatak and Surat. Lands are being prepared for sprirg cultivation in parts of Sind and Ahmedabad, and sowing continues in parts of Sind, the Karnatak, the Deccan, Broach and Surat, but is retarded in parts of Khandesh, Nasik, Ahmednager Belgaum and Dharwar for want of rain. The fodder supply and the condition of agricultural stock are good. Prices have fallen in eleven districts and are stationary elsewhere. The price of rice is slightly over the normal and that of juar is about the normal. Prices of bajri and wheat are slightly over the normal in Guzerat and are about double the normal elsewhere. The prices of bajri and juar are higher than in 1897 and of rice and wheat easier than in 1897. In Bengal the sowing of the spring crops continues. Prospects of crops generally good except in flooded tracts of Midnapore. In the North-West Provinces the weather has been clear and seasonable during the week. Paddy, Sessamum, millets and pulses are being harvested and cotton is being picked. The sugar-cane crop is in excellent condition. In the Punjab, slight rain has fallen in parts of the Umballa district. Reaping of the autumn and sowing of the spring crops are in progress in almost all districts. The condition and prospects of standing crops are reported to be good in Mooltan, Lahore and Peshawar. Reaping of the autumn crops and picking of cotton are going on throughout the province. Harvesting of the early autumn crops continues in the Central Provinces and the rain crops generally promise well, but some deterioration is reported from want of late October rain in some districts. In Berar the crops are thriving satisfactorily. Standing crops are in fairly good condition in Central India.

COTTON—THE NEW CROP.—A leading European merchant in the Cotton Trade, whose opinion on commercial matters carries great weight, estimates the receipts of new Cotton into Bombay during the season 1900-1901 as follows:—

Berars, etc.	5 00,000 to 5,50,000
Khandeish	3,00,000 "
Barsi and Nagur	1,00,000 "
Total Oomras	9 00 000 to 9,50,000
Bengals	3,00 000 to 3,50,000
Dhollerahs	2,25,000 "
Broach	1,25,000 "
Dharwar and Compta	1,25 000 "
Western	25,000 "
Scind, Persian and Sunderies.	50,000 "
Total	17,50,000 to 18,50,000

Estimates of 2 million bales were current a month or so ago, but the general tendency seems to reduce them as above.

COTTON.—The Liverpool Cotton Market on Thursday closed steady. Surats quiet. Manchester was firm. Total sales 12,000 bales. Sold on speculation and export 500 bales. Imports 15,000 bales. Surats 300 bales. Spot 5 13-32 unchanged. Arrivals closed steady.

Futures Liverpool—

Nov. Nov.-Dec.	Feb.-March	May-June	Aug.-Sept.
5'24 5'19	5'12	5'7	4'60
plus 1-64	plus 4-64	plus 3-64	plus 1-64

In New York —

Receipts at the Ports	49,000
Last year	41,000
Exports to Great Britain	19,000
" Continent	12 000
Mid.-Uplands	9 13-16 plus 1-16
Futures, month of February	9'50 plus 20
" May	9'49 plus 18

The following are to-day's quotations for full-pressed Cotton with the equivalents in sterling, cost and freight to Liverpool via Canal, without Commission, viz:—

	Per Candy Rs.	Per lb. C. & F.
Bengal, Fine Dec.-Jan	183	3 31-32
Do F G Dec.-Jan	183	3 5-32
Behalee, Fine Dec.-Jan.	205	4 7-32
Do F G Dec.-Jan	199	4 5-32
Khandesh F G Dec.-Jan	198	4 5-14
Oomra F G Dec.-Jan	212	4 11-32
Bhownagar Fine, March-April	215	4 13-32
Do Good May	196	4 1-32
Broach Fine March-April	234	4 25-32
Do Good March	224	4 19-32

The movements of cotton to date show the following comparisons with the previous two years:—

Receipts	1900. Bales	1899. Bales.	1898 Bales
For the week	41,983	20,949	15,989
From 1st Jan. to 15th Nov	592,864	18,19,348	16,07,490
Clearances to East Britain and Continent.			
For the week	319	...	1,758
From 1st Jan. to 15th Nov	167,353	491,036	457,910
Clearances to China, Japan, Calcutta, &c.			
For the week	510	4,731	876
From 1st Jan to 15th Nov	167,743	502,594	431,200

The comparative imports of Wheat and Seeds are as under:—

	1900. cwts.	1899 cwts.	1898 cwts.
Wheat for the week	84,228	19,064	91,629
Do from 1st Jan. to 15th Nov.	2,123,353	4,302,029	7,637,684
Linseed for the week	5,884	9,571	16,341
Do from 1st Jan. to 15th Nov.	702,839	2,042,416	2,447,726
Rapeseed for the week	4,264	4,632	21,731
Do from 1st Jan. to 15th Nov.	618,227	1,913,104	2,036,60
Gingelly for the week	57,555	42,561	87,329
Do from 1st Jan. to 15th Nov.	1,123,134	1,186,140	1,472,690

The clearances of Wheat and Seeds to Great Britain and Continent are as follows:—

	1900. cwts.	1899. cwts.	1898. cwts.
Wheat for the week	.....	.....	38,562
Do from 1st Jan. to 15th Nov...	8	2,852,716	5,635,226
Linseed for the week	4,017	36294	6,274
Do from 1st Jan. to 15th Nov...	754,778	2,070,468	2,497,177
Rapeseed for the week	11,693	12350	70,413
Do from 1st Jan. to 15th Nov...	985,959	1,906,625	2,39,274
Gingellyseed for the week	4,908	2,948	38,831
Do. from 1st Jan. to 15th Nov.	1,224,197	1,363,898	1,469,391

Concerning the drop in cotton, the Manchester correspondent of the "Financial Times" writes to that journal:—The standard for "midling" description of American cotton moving on the British market, to 64ths of a peny per pound for futures and of 32nds for spot quotations, and in points of a cent in the States, makes the recent drops of 1-8d., 3-16d. and even 1-4d., per day in "spot" quotations somewhat sensational. Tuesday's drop was 3 16d., bringing down spot to 5 11-32d. per pound, or a total drop of 2 1-32d., as compared with 7 3-8d., which was attained last month, the culminating point of the recent "squeeze" and 3 3-32d., at the beginning of 1899. Naturally, these fluctuations are very unsettling to the staple industry of Lancashire; but while the present aspect of affairs seems to favour a much more moderate level of values than has ruled of late, there are still uncertainties of the growing crop to be regarded. Should that crop turn as well as even the present indications would seem to forecast, good trade judges are of opinion that, despite the depleted stocks of the old crop, there will be in the ensuing yield ample cotton for the world's requirements in the interim, and probably some to spare. The recent heavy deliveries of cotton at the American ports and the large shipments now being made to Great Britain, together with the more favourable aspects of the crop seem to be making cotton holders anxious to realise, lest prices should slip away still further."

PIECE-GOODS.—The Market is quiet owing to depression in the Interior and to the weakness in Cotton prices. During the week business to the extent of abouts 2,900 packeges has been put through. In local manufactures good 1,500 bales have been disposed of, and local yarns some 7,000 bales have been sold during the week.

GREY GOODS.—Owing to the unwillingness of up-country buyers to operate fully, the business done during this week has not been on a large scale, and rates are generally weak. The weakness of the Cotton Market also tells against this Market. Stocks are heavy and Dealers are willing sellers. Still prices remain steady.

IN BLEACHED GOODS.—a moderate business has been done, and rates of standard makes are somewhat easier. At closing no business is passing and prices are inclined to fall.

DYED PIECE-GOODS AND TURKEY RED GOODS.—No change has taken place in these branches, and rates are tending in buyers favour.

LOCAL GOODS.—A very steady feeling continues, and a large business has taken place in ssason goods.

LOCAL YARNS.—China buyers have made large purchases at easier terms. Up-country makes are in good demand.

GENERALLY it may be said that the demand from up-country remains poor. Various hostile conditions exist not the least being the prevalence of sickness in consuming districts.

PRICES YARN (Indian.)

Twist	No. 6s Mule, As.		4 1-4 to 4 7-8 per. lb.
"	" 8s "	"	4 3-8 " 5 "
"	" 10s "	"	4 1-2 " 5 1-4 "
"	" 12s "	"	4 3-4 " 5 "
"	" 16s "	"	5 3-8 " 5 3-4 "
"	" 20s "	"	5 1-2 " 6 1-8 "
"	" 24s "	"	6 " 6 1-4 "
"	" 30s "	"	6 3-4 " 7 1-2 "
"	" 40s "	"	8 " 9 1-2 "

PRICES.	Net rates per lb. as. cents.		as. cents.
T Cloths	7-30	to	8-00
Do	7-25	to	8-00
Long Cloths	7-25	to	8-00
Do	7-25	to	8-00
Domestics	7-75	to	7-75
Do	7-25	to	7-75
Chadders	7-50	to	8-00
Do	7-50	to	8-00
Plain Dhoties	7-75	to	8-00
Do	7-50	to	8-00
Red Bordered Dhoties	7-75	to	8-25
Do	7-50	to	8-00
Dhoties with Fancy Borders	7-75	to	8-25
Scosi-Gray with coloured lines	7-50	to	8-00
Checks	8-00	to	10-00
Drills, Grey	7-25	to	7-50
Towells and Napkins (Different-sizes,)	7-25	to	7-75

ENGLISH YARN.—There has been little change in the position of English yarns owing to continued scarcity of orders from up-country. Prices are only maintained on account of limited supplies. A few orders however have been placed in Manchester in expectation of improved demand later on

The following are some of the particulars of total home shipments for various Indian Ports during October:—

For Bombay—		
Plain Cottons, yds	49,850,000	yards
" " "	12,800	bales
" " "	8,200	cases
Colored " "	6,800,000	yards
Printed " "	8,150,000	"
Twist lbs.	350,000	lbs
For Karachi—		
Plain Cottons, yds	6,600 000	yards
" " "	900	bales
" " "	1,600	cases
Coloured " "	1,650,000	yards
Printed " "	1,500,000	"
Twist lbs.	50,000	lbs
For Calcutta—		
Plain Cottons, yds	96,400,000	yards
" " "	24,300	bales
" " "	5,900	cases
Colored " "	7,200,000	yards
Printed " "	2,750,000	"
Twist lbs.	1,150 000	lbs
For Madras—		
Plain Cottons, yds	9,450,000	yards
" " "	3,100	bales
" " "	1,800	cases
Coloured " "	1,800,000	yards
Printed " "	2 450 000	"
Twist lbs.	1,500,000	lbs

The London Seed Market on Thursday was generally dull. The quotations received were:—

Yellow Guzerat Rapeseed	45 1-2
Sellers: Dunkirk	April-May.
Yellow Cawnpore Rapeseed	43s.
Sellers: Havre Antwerp Dunkirk	April-May.
Brown Rapeseed	39 1-4
Sellers: Havre Antwerp Dunkirk	April-May,
Linseed was Fiat at same ports and shipment,	48 3-4

The Kerosine Oil Trade in both departments has been weak and weakening throughout the week, and although in the higher descriptions of case oil there has been no change in price since our last report there has been a drop of one to two-and-a-half annas in commoner brands. This drop is a realization of the weakness we indicated last week as having been shown in the face of the prospective large arrivals which are now at hand as will be seen from the following:—

Case Oil	Arrivals in Sight.	
s s Robert Irvine with	143000 cases	Anchor 17 Nov. expected
" Aurora " "	107000 "	Ram 20 "
" Sirdar " "	135000 "	Anchor 3 Dec.
" Hibernia " "	95000 "	Ram 15 "
" Valencia " "	143000 "	Ram 29 "

It is reported that 25000 cases of Crown Brand are being shipped per s. s. Bardsez to the Persian Gulf. The demand continues fair and there have been deliveries some 42000 cases.

The following are the ruling rates:—

Snowflake	150	Rs 5-12
Another	125	Rs 4 to Rs 4-3
Do	150	to stock
Crown	125	Rs 2-12-6 to Rs 3-15-6
Ram	do	Rs 3-11 to Rs 2-15
Tiger	do	Rs 3-11
Elephant	do	No stock
Mogul	do	"
Rising Sun	po	"

BULK OIL showed weakness in sympathy with cases, but there have been no arrivals. Of this description, the demand holds strong and with heavy deliveries made the price remains as we quoted last week Rs. 3-12 in new times of local manufacture.

METALS.—Copper has been much quieter and consumption is trifling. Prices have given way duringthe week to the extent of 8 to 10 annas per cens. Yellow metal is also very quiet and there has been a drop of about 8 annas per cent.

IRON.—There seems to be a continued reduction in enniinental prices which causes a weaker tendency in Rupee rate here. The continued fall doters up-country buyers from buying, and owing to enforced liquidation of stocks rates for all iron goods are tending downwards. Only galvanized sheets show no reduction.

COALS in Bombay have been a complete blank this week. The market has been perfectly dead with no business of any description reported. The following are the quotations necessarily nominal:—

		Ready	Forward.
Deshaghur Bengal	Rs. 16		15 3-4
Muir's Navigation	"	13 1-2	13 1-2
Jardine's	"	14	13 3-4
Singareni	"	13 3-4	13 3-4
Birds Navigation	"	13 1-2	13 1-2

Other qualities are not even spoken of.

FREIGHT.—Hardly any signs of life have been noticeable in this market. Since last mail day speculators have engaged balance of space in the s.s. Stanly Hall for Liverpool and Antwerp at 14s. December, and the Wilson Line "Mikado," which proceeds to Karachee to fill up, at 15s. Some small lots have been done for p.p. at 15s. 6d., December and May, at 18s., for Marseills January at 14s. and for Amsterdam May at 18s. 6d. Beyond this there is nothing of importance to report.

Home advices state that s.s. Sheikh has been fixed for 2 p. p. at 15s 9d December loading. It has also transpired that some time back speculators had chartered the s.s. Gymeric, Fareric and Commeric p. p. at 21s, March-April-May loading respectively.

Liverpool and Antwerp for December shipment speculators have engaged balance space in the s. s. Stanly Hall at 14s. per ton.

Hull and Antwerp.—The Wilson Line "Cukado" has granted order at 15s. Nov.-Dec. loading.

Hamburg.—The ready Hansa Line "Hochheiner," has had to accept 14s to fill up.

Marseilles and Dunkirk. The ready s. s. Florida is booking further seeds, wheat and cotton at 15s. 6d. We quote:—Cotton and Wool. Wheat and Seeds:—

	April.	May.
Liverpool Ready	15s. 6d.	18s. 18s. 6d.
Hull "	13s. 6d.	
Hamburg "	13s. 6d. to 16s.	
Antwerp "	16s.	
Dunkirk "	16s.	
Marseilles "	15s. 6d.	

GROUNDNUT TRADE.—The "Times" recently contained a Note on the peanut oil industry of Marseilles, based on a report of the American Consul at that port. The Consul referred to the decline in imports of ground nuts from India and stated that while the imports between 1890 and 1895 were mostly from that country, those between 1896 and 1899 were mainly from Africa. He suggested as an explanation that India used more and more of its crop at home. But though there is good local demand for groundnuts and groundnut oil in India the dimutition in export is due for the most part to other causes. When a large demand for groundnuts first arose their cultivation in India was extended to dry lands, rich or poor, and though the yield was at first heavy exhaustion of the sail soon began. This was accentuated by repeated sowing on the same land without rotation of crops and without fertilizers. The seed deteriorated and became an easy prey to disease and consequently the cutturn diminished. Further the crops have sufferred in recent years from unfavourable seasons, and the substitution of food crops for oil seeds as a result of the two great famines has entailed a restriction of the area alloted to earth-nuts. One need not then be astonished that the surplus of seeds available for exportation has greatly diminished. It should, however, be mentioned that the falling off has been chiefly in the Madras Presidency. In the Bombay Presidency there has been no positive deterioration of the crop though bad seasons have disastrously affected the outturn. The general view in Bombay is that with fairly liberal management the groundnut crop is normally a thriving and profitable one. But the seriousness of the decline in ground nut crop as a whole is best proved by the fact that while the average exportation of groundnuts from British India for the three years 1893-94 to 1895-96 was 1,641 cwts the average for the three years 1896-97 to 1898-1892 was only 206 cwts. The groundnut industry of the French colony of Pondicherry has also been depressed, but the introduction of new seed from Senegal is said to have bronght about a revival and led to au increase of exports. It is remarkable that in Virginia is as in Madras and Pondicherry deterioration of groundnut seed through exhaustion of the soil has reduced the yield. The diminution according to an American journal being from 50 bushels to 20 bushels an acre on the average. The great oil crushing centres, Marseilles and Havre, have been among the chief maskts for Indian groundnuts. Groundnut-oil is superior to cotton seed-oil for making good quality soaps, and it is used as an adulterant of, or substitute for, olive oil. Hence a large and constant demand for the oil seems assured. It will therefore be satisfactory for traders to know that the Government of India has been active in consulting agriculturists and chemists with the object of improving the crops and increasing outturn, and that experiments are being tried with seeds from Mauritius and Mozambique.

GENERALLY it may be said that the demand from up-country remains poor. Various hostile conditions exist not the least being the prevalence of sickness in consuming districts.

HOME MARKETS.—Owing to various causes the position of the leading manufacturing industries at home was not altogether favourable when the last mail left England. Considerable changes and unsettlement in the prices of some important raw materials have temporarily checked the demand for them and for manufactured articles in several directions. Not much alteration has yet occurred in the price of coal, but the tendency is visibly downward, and some decline has already occurred at such important centres as Glasgow, Middlesbugh and Cardiff. Much more decided, says a correspondent, is the giving way in the quotations for coke, which has been brought about mainly by the damping down, or the blowing out of a considerable number of iron smelting furnaces. Pig iron, too, has declined in value, as well as certain descriptions of iron and steel. Raw cotton also has gone down greatly from the extreme prices to which it was raised by the recent extreme scarcity of American. In the wool markets not much change is to be observed in so far as prices are concerned, but there has been no substantial recovery from the previous fall, and buyers of woollen and worsted goods cannot yet be induced to purchase freely. In all these departments the uncertainty as to the future course of prices is checking the demand for manufactures. Other considerations supply further motives for caution. The continued critical state of political affairs in China has, for the moment, all but closed the important markets of that country to imports from Europe and the United States. The still unsettled condition of South Africa is preventing the long hoped for increase of business with that part of the world, although some order for railway and other materials pressingly needed have been placed. But the main influence tending to discourage buying comes from the doubts which are entertained as to the maintenance of prices, and these are specially strong in the departments connected with the iron and and coal industries. On the other hand the markets for linen goods, especially that of Belfast, are active under the stimulus of advancing prices of flax. It will be observed that part of the adverse forces just referred to are transient. The caution and slackness of demand due to unsettlement of prices may be expected to disappear as soon as these are adjusted and confidence restored. Except in China there are very few areas over which English trade extends, where other important and more lasting causes of discouragement exist. But so long as serious doubts are entertained of the maintenance of current prices, bupers must be expected to restrict their operations within the narrowest possible limits. In the cotton trade the adjustment seems likely to come about very soon, thanks to the rapidity with which the new American crop is coming to Market, and to the operations of the system of futures. Meanwhile, the prospect of a large offtake of cotton goods in India, in the British colonies, and in the home trade, as well as in most of the foreign outlets, is encouraging; and the demand will be all the more substantial because of the very limited extent of the business in Manchester during the last three months, and the consequent reduction of supplies in the channels of distribution.

Of still wider interest is the question of the future value of coal. Since the beginning of this year the average price has been about 6s. per ton above that of the corresponding period in 1899. The home consumption for all purposes, including the supply taken by steamers leaving our parts for their own use, is about 177,000,000 tons per annum. The advance has therefore raised the rational expenditure upon fuel to the extent of about £53,000,000 a year. In great degree, no doubt, so much of this as falls upon the productive and distributive industry has been compensated by the increased price of the commodities produced. But there is evidence enough that much of it still remains as an unrelieved burden. It is reasonable, therefore, in view of the slackening of demand for manufactures and the narrowing of manufacturing margins, to anticipate some decline in the prices of coal, partly from diminished consumption, and partly because of the additional supply from new pits, which will become an appreciable factor within a few months.

THE GOVERNMENT PAPER. Market may be side to have been quiet with few fluctuations and limited business. On Monday the market opened at Rs. 97-6 for the settlement and rose with some regularity till on Wednesday it touched Rs. 97-10, the highest rate attained during the week Thereafter it began to decline. On Friday the Market opened at Rs. 97-7 and closed weak at Rs. 97-6—its Monday's rate—on the rumour of the projected raising in London of an African Loan of 50 millions sterling the next account is quoted 2 annas lower than the 30th November. The rate for ready in large amounts is one anna higher while small clean prices are changing hands at the ready rate in large amounts.

THE MONEY MARKET has been as easy as during the previous weeks but the slight demand in money is likely to comfuse the bulls as the surplus is constantly augmented by the sales of the local banks when the market makes a little bid. Municipal and Port Trust bonds are unchanged at the previous quotations while 3 per cent. Paper is nominally quoted at Rs. 87 1-2.

THE SHARE MARKET is quiet with business dull. Bank of Rombay shares have declined to Rs. 1,255 while Commercirls are quiet at Rs. 64. Tapti Valley and Prantej shares have changed hands at Rs. 470 and Rs. 695 respectively Prese shares are for the most part quiet at the previvs quotations. On Miscellaneous Companies Port Cannings and Bombay Fire shares are weak and have dropped to Rs. 475 and Rs. 165. Badhams and Marks have been done at Rs. 152 and Rs. 158. Oriental Government Life share are in good demand at Rs. 131, the remaining Companies are unchanged at the old rates.

In Mill shares Connaghts, James, Greaves Leeopolds, and Imperials have changed hands at Rs. 500, Rs. 400, Rs. 190 and Rs. 150 respectively. Mazagons have dropped to Rs. 60. Petles have declined to Rs. 1,780 or 1.775xd. Centrals are steady at Rs. 1,915. Other Mill shares are almost entirely neglected so the old quotations stand.

RAJPUTANA-MALWA RAILWAY.

(Includes the Rajputana, Holkar, Sindia-Neemuch Rewari-Bhatinda and Cawnpore-Achnera State Railways.)

Approximate return of traffic for week ended 20th October 1900, on 1644'39 miles open.

	Coaching Traffic Receipts.	Merchandise and Mineral Traffic Receipts.	Other Earnings (Estimated.)	Total Earnings.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Total traffic for the week	1,05,000	2,78,000	7,000	3,90,000
Or per mile of Railway	64	169	4	237
For previous 15 weeks of half-year	16,33,066	42,30,314	83,832	59,52,312
Total for 16 weeks	17,43,066	45,08,314	90,832	63,42,312
Comparison. Total for corresponding week of previous year	1,20,292	4,58,031	5,717	5,84,040
Per mile of Ry do.	73	278	4	355
Total to corresponding date do.	17,39,691	50,48,934	1,08,982	68,97,610

Decrease for the week ..... Rs. 1,94,040
Do. to date ..... " 5,55,298

INDIAN MIDLAND RAILWAY.

Week ending 27th October, 1900.

Description.	1900.	1899.	Inc. for the week.	Dec. for the week.	Aggregate Inc.	Aggregate, Dec.
Miles Open	1,139	1,139	...	...	...	...
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Passengers,	37,480	44,588	...	7,108	...	39,497
Parcels, &c.	1,21,443	80,293	41,150	...	5,51,134	...
Goods						
Other earnings	7,882	17,137	...	9,255	...	40,022
Total for week	1,66,805	1,42,018	24,787	...	...	...
Aggregate	25,99,490	21,28,776	...	...	4,70,714	...

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Sun rises, 6h. 9m. Sun sets, 5h. 21m. High water, 7-55m. 9-0a. Low water, 1-27m., 2-4a.
Royal Bombay Yacht Club Races.
B. V. A. Parade.
Performance of Spiritualism, Framjee Cowasjee Institute, 9 p.m.

TO-MORROW.

Sun rises, 6h. 9m. Sun sets, 5h. 21m. High water, 8-40m., 9-41a. Low water, 2-22m., 2-40a.

POSTAL NOTICE.—Mails for Mauritius and Reunion, *viâ* Tuticorin and Colombo, will be closed at the General Post Office, at 7 p. m., on Tuesday and Wednesday, the

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE s s Wistbourn 2,111 tons, Captain S A Ball, sailed yesterday for Calcutta with the same bottom cargo.

THE s s Zweena, 941 tons, Captain L Ainsworth, sailed yesterday for Singapore &c., with the same bottom cargo.

THE B I S N and Co's s s Marora, 4,451 tons, Captain T A Adams, arrived in harbour yesterday from Calcutta 5th November, with a cargo of coal.

THE Bombay and Persia S N Co's s s Naseri, 911 tons, Captain J E Davison, will sail to-day for the Persian Gulf with a general cargo and 59 deck passengers.

THE Bombay and Persia S N Co's s. s. Mohammadi, 1251 tons, Captain F J Raffin, sailed yesterday for Singapore, etc. with a general cargo and ten deck passengers.

THE B I S N Co's s s Kilwa, 994 tons, Captain P Whitehead, arrived in harbour on Thursday evening, from the Persian Gulf via Karachi, with a general cargo, 141 horses, and the following passengers:—Mr Dawson, Mr Shaw, Miss Mellins, Mr Leggett, Captain and Mrs Bond, Mr White, Lieut Peacock three natives and 63 deck.

THE Austrian Lloyds s s. Trieste, Captain A. Mitis arrived in harbour from Trieste via Karachi with the following passengers:—Mr. and Mrs. O. Berlinger, Col and Mrs. Buckland and three daughters, Mrs. Courtney, Mrs. Swanston, Mrs. E. Porter, Mrs. and Miss Mayer, Mrs Reilly, Mrs. Bickel, Mr. A Zielfa der, Mr. and Mrs. Carlew, Mr. P. Flor, Miss A Gavin, Captain and Mrs. Rooke and child, Mr. M. A. Barteio, Two Misses Markham, Mr. M. Vrioni Mr. J. S. Kerkbride, and Mr. J. S. Anderson.

THE following is the list of passengers per Italian SteamerDominico Balduino, Capt. O. Canepa, sailing to-morrow at 6 p. m. for Genova from Victoria Dock Shed No 3. Passengers are requested to be on board not later than 4-30 p. m:—Chev and Mrs Baldovino, son, and daughter, Revd and Mrs C H Barlow Capt T O Boyd, Miss Clarke, Capt F C Finch, Sister Ether Mrs Forbes and three daughters Capt. D B Day, Revd S, Charles, Mr Hajee Mohomed Isfhany Mr G Kranser, Mr and Mrs F Younghusband, Mr L Sampant and friend, Mrs W P Saceby, Mr R H Thomas, Mrs Waits, four children and nurse Mr F L Williamson, Miss Alice Woreford and 40 Deck Passengers.

VESSELS IN THE HARBOUR.—NOVEMBER 16

Vessel.	Ton.	Capt.	Destination.	Date.	Agent
Tonasserim			Greet		Receiving Hulk
Magdala			Greet		Turret-ship
Abyssinia			Greet		Wet Basin....Turret-ship
Plassy					Torpedo Catcher
Assaye					Torpedo Catcher
Sphinx		Phillips			Royal Navy
Tientsin	2555	Daniel			P & O Co
Pekin	2529	Hayward			P & O Co
Assyria	970	MacLean			P & O Co
Forerie	2591	White			M M & Co
Khrenfels	3533	Gramberg			Glade & Co
Nasrif	992	Davison			B & P S N Co
Okara	3148	Grier			M M & Co
Nizam	3011	Elliott			T M & Co
Peninsular	3947	Leigh			P & O Co
Patrick Stewart		Tindall			I G T Steamer
Chilka	1150	Tipper			M M & Co
Rasmara	3161	Mayanan			M M & Co
Brantwood	2296	Robertson			Corry Brothers
Caina	1464	Hill			M M & Co
Loch Tay	3416	Stephens			M M & Co
Albion	649	Curtis			R Steuart & Co
Adana	2178	Smith			M M & Co
Kilwa	993	Whitehead			M M & Co
Marora	4451	Adams			M M & Co
Arabia	4167	Parfitt			P & O Co
Trieste	3703	Mitis			A Lloyd S N Co

VESSELS IN DOCKS.—NOVEMBER 16.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

Shed.	Vessel.	Ton	Capt.	Destination	Date.*	Agent
A	Secundra	1675	Groom	Calcutta		M & Co
B	Clydesdale	2294	Sharp	Beypore	19-11	M M & Co
D	Cardium	3955	Daniel	Antwerp	24-11	W & A G & Co
M	Ballarat	2869	Field			P & O Co
P & Q	Hoechheimer	1819	Shamshe'n	K'chee to A'burg	23-11	Glade & Co
Q	Zalda	2883		Repairing		M & Co

HARBOUR WALL.

Bahaduri	829	Ahmed	Kurrachee	17-11	Shepherd & Co
Sabermati	574	Fukeera	Mangalore	16-11	do
Ponani	552	Fukeer	Bhownager	17-11	do

VICTORIA DOCK.

Shed.	Vessel.	Ton.	Capt.	Destination.	Date.*	Agent
3	D Baldnino	3044	Canepa	Genoa	17-11	F Baldavino
4	Hormida	1499	Sarano	Hongkong	17-11	F Baldovino
5	Bengal	2757	Barcham	China	21-11	P & O S N Co
10	Stanley Hall	2669	Browne	K'chee	24-11	KiNixon & Co
13	Egypt	4178	Longbourne	London	17-11	P & O S N Co
13	Florida	2053	Chapman	Dunkirk	23-11	M M & Co
16	Boldana	2890	McChelford	Repairing		M M & Co

HARBOUR WALL.

Kola	497	Robertson	Kurrachee	16-11	M M & Co

*Probable date of departure.

ARRIVALS.

Nov.	Vessel.	Commander.	From.
15	Kilwa s	Whitehead	Basrah, Nov 3.
16	Marora s	Parfitt	Calcutta, Nov 5.
	Arabia s	Parfitt	London, Oct 26.
	Trieste s	Mitis	Trieste, Oct 21.

DEPARTURES.

Nov.	Vessel.	Commander.	Destination.
16	Kola s	Robertson	Karachi.
	Mohammadi s	Raffin	Singapore.
	Zweena s	Ainsworth	Singapore.
	Wistbourn s	Bell	Calcutta.
	Baron Tairlie s	Davison	Calcutta.

The Steamer Naseri, Captain Davison, obtained her port-clearance yesterday for Persian Gulf.

The following vessels entered for loading yesterday:—
Steamer Kilwa, for Persian Gulf.
" Stanley Hall, for Marseilles, Liverpool, &c.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY LIEUT.-COL. LOUIS P. RUSSELL, COMMANDING B. V. A.

Bombay, 17th November.

1. The Corps will parade at the Corps Club Apollo Bunder to-day and proceed to Colaba North Forth to examine the Annual Gun Target Practice. Dress—Drill Order without arms. Duties to be worn.—No. 2 Subdivision of each Company is detailed for gun relief.

2. It is notified for information that the range at Coorla will be open for practice from to-morrow (Sunday) and all recruits must file their Musketry Course within two months of that date.

3. The first Spoon Competition of the season will take place at Coorla to-morrow ranges 200 and 500 yards. Conditions will be the same as last Year and may be seen at the Corps Club or on the Range. The attention of members is called to the Rule that no member will be allowed to take a prize who is not returned efficient for the current season.

By Order,
C. C. KUNICK, Lieut.,
Acting Adjutant, B. V. A.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY MAJOR J. POLLEN, COMMANDING B. V. R.

Bombay, 17th November.

1. The Battalion will parade at the Gymkhana end of the Parade Ground at 4-45 p.m., to-day (Saturday) the 17th inst.—Dress—Drill order Khaki.

Cadets will be conveyed in Special Tram Cars as follows:—St. Marry's College:—Two Double Cars to leave Victoria Gardens at 4 p.m.

Byculla School:—One Double Car to leave Victoria Gardens at 4 p.m.

2. The following member having joined is taken on the strength of the Corps from this date and posted to "F" Company No 4921 Vol J M Walsh.

By Order,
P. H. ROGERS, Captain,
Adjutant, B. V. R.

HIGH COURT—NOVEMBER 17.

Before the Hon'ble the CHIEF JUSTICE.

After Contested Chamber Work.

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Commercial Cause.

618-00—Hiralal M and M—Hargowan Lachminarayen and others vs Shermal Tansukhrai.

Long Causes.

251-95-91-00—Crawford B and Co—Narondas Purshotumdas vs Tilsechand Maneckchand and another—Tyabjee D and Co.

511-00—In person—Adam Badardina vs Hajee Osman Sulleman and another—Thakurdas D G and D.

522-00—Crawford B and Co—Sitabai widow and another vs Vasantrao Nana Moroba and another—Captain and V.

526-00—N M Cama—Ardesir Nowrojee Thoothi vs Hajee Abdulla Hajee A satar Noorani—Tyabjee D and Co.

535-00—Captain and V—Hajee Osman Abba vs Pranjivandas Kalidas and another—Thakurdas and Co.

426-00—Unwalla and P—Rajchand Krishnajee and others vs Manordas Kevaldas and others—Hormusjee and R.

273-00—Shamrao and M—Harjivan Narondas vs Edward Charles Obrien—Smetham B and N.

184-99—Payne G S and M—Abba Gunny vs Hajee Jan Mahomed Hajee Oomer Chotani and others—A F Turner, F and B, R and B and Captain and V.

185-99—Payne G S and M—Abba Gunny vs Hajee Jan Mahomed Hajee Oomer Chotani and others—A F Turner, F and B, R and B and C and V.

77-99—Payne G S and M—Anandibai vs Jaitha Ramjee and others—Hiralal M and M.

165-00—In person—Ramchand Baniram and another vs Savanram Sojiram and others—K B Mehta, Thakordas and Co.

118-99—Ardeshir H D and Co—Hajee Mahomed Hajee Juwar vs Emil Spinner and others—Payne G S and M.

397-00—Framjee and D—Alladinbhai Mahomed Dama and vs Mankoobai widow and others—K B Mehta.

Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice B. TYABJEE.

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Long Causes.

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597-03—Unwalla and P—Perozshah Hormusjee Master vs Dada Meya David Jaffer—Payne G S and M—Part heard.

For further directions and costs.

5-00—Payne G S and M—Morarjee Dhurrumsey vs Gokaldas Bhamoo and others—Vadia and G.

To Vary Commissioner's Report.

423-95—Payne G S and M—Nusserwanjee Nowrojee vs Vazirbibi widow—Khunderao and S—For postponement.

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Long Causes.

277-97—Payne G S and M—Peeroo Mahomed vs Karimbhoy Nensey and others—Mathubhai J and M.

222-98—Sorabjee and J—Ebrahim Abdulally vs Ebrahimjee Rehmanjee Khanbhai and others—Payne G S and M

352-00—Thakurdas and Co—Hansraj Purmanand and others vs Sassoon J David—Ardeshir H D and Co.

270-99—Jamasetjee and R—Charles Agnew Turner.

587-98—Chitnis M and M—Ghellabhai Atmaram vs Dhanibai and others—Thakurdas and Co.

321-00—Captain and V—Abdoolaly Esmailjee vs Mahomedally Esmailjee and others.

603-00—R M Mody—Mitha Madan and another vs Meghjee Purshotum—In person.

622-02—F P Pavri—Sulleman Joosub Patel vs Mahomed Adamjee and another—Captain and V.

624 00—R N Motabhoy for pauper—Dewoorebai vs Bai Amibai widow—Matoubhoy J and M.

26-00—M H Khan—Sukunbai vs Hassanally Alladin—Payne G S and M.

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401-00—Captain and V for pauper—Dr Nowzali Khan and others vs Noor Mahomed Sujjan—K B Mehta.

116-00—Nanu and H—Hepicolla Essoofally and another vs Runchordas Lowjee.

418-00—Ardeshir B and D—The Ahmedabad Advance S and W Co Ld vs Peroshaw Muncherjee—Unwalla and P.

139-99—Payne G S and M—Kustomjee Hormusjee vs Hormusjee Cursetjee—Nanu and H.

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EUROPE.

BIRTHS.

BAKER—Oct 23, at Hasketon Manor, Woodbridge, wife of Capt J A Baker, R N, of a son.

GRAHAM—Oct 24, Acton West, London, wife of J Graham, of The Irrawaddy Flotilla Company, Limited, Mandalay, of a son.

VALE—Oct 16, at Norwood, Leckhampton Road, Cheltenham, wife of Lieut S D Vale, Royal Indian Marine, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

CRIMMIN—LENNAN—Oct. 29, at the Church of St. Joseph, Dublin, by the Rev. John Anderson, Major Crimmin V. C., L. M. S., to Julia, only daughter of William F. Lennan, St. Renan's Rathgar, Dublin.

TIDMARSH—TEWART—Oct 27, at St Giles's-in-the-Fields, E Russell, son of the late Rev W Tidmarsh, to Clara Marie, daughter of the late J Stewart, H E I C S.

DEATH.

SLADE-GULLY—Oct 20, at Thruxton, Hants, widow of the late Capt F Slade-Gully, Bengal Staff Corps, and daughter of the late Rev W Knatchbull, aged 67.

POONA.

DEATH.

CARRS—November 11, at Poona, of pneumonia, Emma Mary, wife of J. Carrs, Esq., aged 41 years.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

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The Bombay Gazette

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1900.

THOUGH we have long had a gracious lady as our Queen, and the glory, the pleasure and the duty of her subjects lies in obeying her slightest behests, the reign of the lady chaperon is apparently over. She is a character for which our younger generation has no further use, not necessarily because she has exhausted the patience of her charges by superstrictness, for, be it said in low and confidential tones, they would smilingly but none the less effectually disregard any attempt to curtail the length to which their liberty should extend. It is not that she neglects them and goes her own way in enjoyment, for she is pathetically ready to fulfil her duties either as driver of her team or as leader. It is simply that the younger generation are now admitted to be, what in every age they have thought themselves, the embodiment of the wisdom as well as of the spirit of the age. They have learnt self-reliance and tact from their cradle, they shrink from no situation, the healthy outdoor life, the rough and tumble of the game field, the development that the gymnasium has given their bodily frame have reacted on their brains, and they stand forth in every moment of their young lives ready for any and every emergency. The chaperon, in fact, is no longer wanted. She may cease to pose as the living manifestation of cautious wisdom, or as the shelter to which the timid brood may return when the fowler prowls round, or the hawk circles and swoops. She may enjoy her own life and be without a care where the fates of her daughters or nieces are concerned. They will be the arbiters of their own destinies, and meanwhile spin round at dances, or bicycle through the shires, or hunt, or fish or boat where and with whom they please. As a rule like seeks like, and the British girl being as healthy-minded as she is happy, and as brave as she is innocent, enjoys her friendships in a safe and simple-minded way. She is not badly equipped for the battle of life by her study in the high school or at college, and by her fair share in the games and exercises of the day.

Lady Jeune in the "Fortnightly" discusses "The Decay of the Chaperon," but she very wisely does not deplore it. Indeed, that experienced matron accounts for it by laying some of the responsibility on the broad shoulders of the chaperon herself, for we are told that "one of the most distinctive signs of to-day is the repudiation of age. No one is old, and no one can afford to get older. The life, the occupations, the interests, the amusements, the ambitions of to-day, are those of a youthful epoch, of a time when to be old is sin. We see it on every side, especially among women. Every mother is as young as her children, in dress and appearance, and grandmothers younger than either." We can remember when the matron settled down at an early age, according to present giddy ideas, and was staid in movement, in style, in dress that even the woman of sixty at this end of our waning century does not contemplate. She may die and become immortal, but she does not grow old. In the long ago years the matron withdrew early into a grove from which it was impossible that she could with any respect for herself deviate. She enjoyed only the dull side of functions, she lived by rule, and her youngers paid her a stiff deference and respect absolutely incompatible with the joy or "abandon" of youth. She rested in a quiet back water whence she viewed without regret the current of life flowing gaily by. The gay ripples on its bright surface were no longer for her. The present generation displays more individuality, each person is a guide to himself or herself, not in lawlessness, but in fair and honest appreciation of what they can or cannot do. Every one works or plays in the way that fits her gifts. They wonder little what the world will say, secure in the knowledge that no other will bear their burden, one moment longer than can be helped. The young though they do not display that humble and timid deference which more or less paralysed their faculties in the presence of their parents, have by no means lost their respect and affection for them. We agree with Lady Jeune when she says that, considering the license they enjoy, they are kind, affectionate and patient, what matter if they slightly disguise the smile that meets the expression of our older theories and fears, or that they do not for a moment think of viewing life from our experienced stand-point. Why should they? Disappointments come soon enough. The young will never look back, and this happy carelessness is a thing to be thankful for. Our experience may be valuable, but it will never be utilised even by the youngest and wisest. Every one buys their own, it does not matter how dear it is, we are ready in our golden days with the price in ready cash. Devoted elders waste many hours trying to save the young heads from rushing on their fate, only to see them "with the all-keen, virile enjoyment of youth, plunge into the vortex of existence with its pleasures, its problems, and its disappointments, while we, unable to stem the tide, follow at a distance, realising our absolute inability to resist it."

The question if the change of attitude in the young person of the present day is for the better is answered by Lady Jeune in the affirmative. There can, indeed, be little doubt about it. The chaperon may reappear after a short seclusion, but surely the girl, educated and trained on the modern system, who is "intelligent, bright, graceful of full keen interest in all the life about her; clever, without being forward; well-informed and not a prig; strong, active, fond of out-door life and games, and yet not unwomanly; full of spirits and elan, brimming over with enjoyment and happiness, blessed with the sounds constitution of her race, eager for all the healthy pleasures in which youth is so prodigal, seeing evil nowhere, because her healthy, pure mind does not dream of such things, and yet alive to the sorrows of the world, and throwing herself with all the unselfish devotion of her nature into the cause of those less happy than herself" does not need a chaperon. She is a robust sort of angel, though the writer in the "Fortnightly" assures us that this is no exaggerated description of the girl of the day. We have heard whispers of some young persons calmly ignoring such a duty as consideration for others, but perhaps this indifference was detected by the cruel eye of envy. We are told that these joyous maidens are unwilling to bow to the serious yoke of matrimony—into which safe harbour the chaperon of old was supposed to pilot her proteges, indeed it was her chief duty—they prefer to retain their freedom, and unless they have the misfortune to be severely handicapped by failing in love early, they enjoy the preliminary canter with infinite zest as long as they possibly can put off a decision about the race they mean to run. Lady Jeune pities poor little Cupid sitting up aloft forlorn while these gay people disregard his shafts. It is not a sentimental age, nor romantic either, but life is serious enough yet, and there are quite enough people ready to take up its duties early. Those who defer the moment for their assumption do not by any means intend to stand finally aside. It is best to agree that there is no armour against fate, the independent girl has come to stay, and the staid chaperon must assimilate herself to her surroundings with a good grace, for the new order replaceth the old.

A MILITARY correspondent writes to the "Times" on a subject of army reform that requires attention as well as other seemingly more important matters under that head. There are not a few people who declare that an officer's pay ought to be sufficient for him to live on and to that end should be increased. But, however that be, it is undeniable that there is room for reform in the matter of officer's expenses. There is no doubt that regimental extravagance has a serious effect upon professional efficiency, and those who know most about it are anxious that a check should be placed upon useless regimental expenditure. Whereas forty years ago a subaltern at home could get along tolerably well on an allowance of £80 a year besides his pay, to-day even in a well-managed regiment he requires £120 in addition to his pay to make both ends meet with a fair degree of comfort. So far as India is concerned, in former days says the expert, when everything required by an officer was much cheaper than now, it was possible for an infantry subaltern to live well on his pay, but in these days except in the Indian Staff Corps, this cannot be done with any comfort without a private allowance, which, however, need not be so much as at home. The desire of some commanding officers to "keep up the name of the regiment" at the expense of their juniors, and the absurdly high mess bills are the main points that the correspondent attacks. The remedy, he declares, is with the Commander-in-Chief "who has only to put his foot down and consign to half-pay three or four culpable colonels, and perhaps a slack general or two, and regimental extravagance with its attendant evils would at once collapse." In cavalry regiments this excessive expenditure has reached such a pitch that the main qualification for a commission appears to be money. It is necessary for a candidate for a cavalry commission that he should have a private allowance of at least £600 a year, but though the educational test is much below that required for the rest of the army, there is a difficulty in finding enough young gentlemen, with means sufficient to enable them to take such commissions. The "Times" writer sketches a scheme of reform mainly directed at the reduction of messing expenses, and advises colonels to regularly overhaul young officers' mess bills. Four shillings a day, with a charge not exceeding £1 per month for all incidental expenses, ought, he says, to be ample for messing, so that without extras a youngster's monthly bill need not be more than £7. The Government allowance of £200 per annum, together with thirty days' pay on joining, and the twelve days' pay a year which every dining member has to contribute, ought with proper management to be ample for all other mess charges, such as renewal and repair of mess furniture, glass, China, silver, servants' wages, cost of moving and storage.

It would be in the interests of young officers if the War Office took a hint from the Admiralty and ordered colonels to see that mess bills did not exceed £10 a month, inclusive of mess charges of all kinds. Statements of subscriptions and expenses on entertainments which do not usually appear in accounts of regimental expenditure submitted to the inspecting general should be sent to the general commanding the district along with the mess sheets; which would probably lead to their being kept within reasonable limits. If in this respect commanding officers did their duty and the War Office had an access of reason in the matter of expensive changes of uniform, maintained regimental bands, and, as they certainly ought, supplied mess, and auto-room furniture, glass, crockery and cooking utensils, with free rations or an allowance for them as in the navy, then it appears a private allowance of £100 per annum would be ample for an infantry subaltern. On this matter the military reformer does not ask for a great deal from the authorities. He does not appear anxious for the officers' pay to be increased, firstly, because he thinks an advance unlikely, owing to the competition for commissions in the Artillery, Engineers and Line Regiments, and, secondly, because he does not quite favour the idea of the officer's pay being enough for him to live on. That may seem a strange reversal of the dictum that the labourer is worthy of his hire, but of course he had no thought of a comparison with labourers. He asserts that those who have given much thought to the matter do not think that an increase in the young officer's pay, so that he might be able to live on it without private assistance, would be altogether a move in the right direction. Much of the talk lately about the re-organization of the army has emphasised the point that the military career must be open to efficiency. According to the "Times" writer if a young officer received pay sufficient to maintain his position the British officer would in time be drawn from a different social stratum than at present. Having no private income he would be obliged to remain on in the service, blocking promotion until he was entitled to a pension. At present many officers, having the means, leave the army when they marry and "so without expense to the State keep up a flow of promotion. Regiments with officers who had nothing but their pay would mean grey-headed subalterns and captains nearer fifty than forty, probably with a growing family to maintain." And "how," asks the critic in conclusion, "could professional zeal, or even keenness for active service be expected from such men?" Perhaps those qualities could not be expected from them, but to us, at any rate, it seems that we would gain in experienced officers who, if not so enthusiastic as boys, would certainly be efficient and to whom their profession would be a serious business.

SPORTSMEN and Bohemians will learn with regret the death of Mr. William Yardley, the son of a former Chief Justice of Bombay, which occurred on the 27th ult., in Kingston. Educated at Rugby and Trinity College, Cambridge, Mr. Yardley did wonderful things for both school and college cricket eleveus. As a freshman he was not quite a success, but he gained his blue, and became famous as the first man who scored a hundred in the University match. The year was 1870, and the match itself was, perhaps, the most famous of all University encounters. Mr. Yardley only made two in the first innings, and his side performed indifferently, though C. I. Thornton was of the team. In the second innings Mr. Yardley made an exact hundred. Mr. Yardley was many years a well-known figure in literary and theatrical circles. His theatrical critiques he wrote under the title of "The Bill of the Play." Latterly his career had been somewhat chequered, and it is possible that his demise was hastened by the anxieties and troubles of recent months. Dr. Grace described Mr. Yardley as "without doubt one of the most brilliant amateurs of his or any time batting in excellent style and scoring against all kinds of bowling." The character of his literary work may be judged from his last columns of theatrical notes, written on his death-bed, and published in another column.

FROM the reports of the Bengal Veterinary Department it appears that glanders and rinderpest were unusually prevalent during 1899-1900 in Calcutta. Proposals for combating the first-named disease are to be submitted to Government. Rinderpest, besides being unusually fatal in Calcutta, carried off 27,000 cattle in one district of the mofussil. Experiments carried out with a view of testing the value of inoculation with bile as a preventive of rinderpest appeared to justify the extension of this measure but owing to Hindu prejudices it will, no doubt, be a considerable time before this method of prevention is widely employed. Little satisfactory progress has been made in the direction of the improvement of stock but a scheme for the opening of a breeding farm at Pusa, in Darbhanga, is being considered, and this, it is hoped, will ultimately provide a steady supply of suitable bulls for the province. In the matter of horse-breeding Government have reluctantly decided that little can be done to counteract climatic and other adverse conditions. The Veterinary College is doing good work. Thirty-six pupils attended the annual examination and five of the students who completed the first year course were Mahomedans. There were 1,591 cases treated in the infirmary, the number being an increase over the previous year. A large addition to the usefulness of the college in this respect and increased opportunities to the students to observe animal diseases will follow when, as is contemplated, the infirmary is registered under the Amended Act for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and the Entally Glanders Hospital of the Calcutta Municipality is transferred to the College.

MR. M. H. STARLING, Clerk of the Crown, proceeds to England by to-day's mail steamer on urgent private affairs, intending to return to Bombay in the early part of March next. Mr. E. B. Raikes, barrister-at-law, will act for him.

A MEETING of the Faculty of Arts of the Bombay University was held last evening to elect a Syndic for the rest of the current year in the place of the Rev. Dr. D. Machikan, resigned. There were two candidates proposed for the vacancy—Mr. K.D. Naigaumwalla and Ptofessor K. T. Gajjar; and the former was declared elected by a majority of votes.

IN a resolution reviewing the annual reports of the Administrations and Progress Report on the Mofussil Civil Hospitails and Dispensaries in the Bombay Presidency for the year 1899, H. E. the Governor in Council says:—Full reports on the Medical Institutions in the Mofussil are submitted every third year, brief statistical reports only being received for the intermediate years. The present report is of the latter class. Copies of it should be distributed as usual. The Governor-in-Council observes that the attendance of patients at these institutions, which decreased remarkably, as pointed out by Government when reviewing the previous report, in the first years of the plague epidemic, showed a tendency in the year under review to become normal, and this was especially the case in places in which plague was but slightly prevalent.

HOW poor Yardley made his century in the "Cobden" year in the University cricket match, he himself told to an interviewer:—"Old Ebor," of the "Yorkshire Post"—the story of his glory and his downfall. F. C. Cobden was his partner when he had counted up his own runs to the figure of 99. In those days, in the absence of the perfect score-boards which record for us each run that is made, the batsman had to engage in a sort of mental arithmetic. Yardeley crossed over to Cobden and said to him, "Frank, I have got 99; when I call, come for all you're worth." The extra run was made, and Yardley was happy. It was in this match that, as a bowler, Cobden won for himself everlasting fame. Oxford took the last innings, wanting 179 runs to win, three runs were wanted to tie, four to win, and only seven wickets were down. Cobden went on, and from his second ball Bulter was caught, while Stewart and Belcher were bowled, each from the first ball received. In 1872 Yardley was captain of the Cantabs, made 13), and won the game for his side. He is the only man who has made two centuries in a University match. Mr. Yardley played for Kent and in the Gentlemen and Players matches. Whenever he played with W. G. Grace, he says, there was always a wager between them of half a crown on the number of runs that each might make. Mr. Grace nearly always won the wager.

ON Tuesday another fatal case of plague was reported in Calcutta: the

TELEGRAMS.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

THE CRISIS IN CHINA.

CHINESE MINISTER IN PARIS INTERVIEWED.

LONDON, Nov. 16.

The Chinese Minister in Paris has been interviewed and said that the present negotiations were a mere show, the Chinese Plenipotentiares fearing the vengeance of the Empress, can only scheme lie and temporise. The Powers, he said, should release the Emperor from the disastrous tutelage of the Empress.

THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

LONDON, Nov. 16.

DeVilliers, who was expelled from Griqualand, is now raiding in the Douglas and Campbell districts in Cape Colony.

Lord Methuen when marching to Lichtenberg encountered the Boers who fled leaving a pompom behind them.

THE ILLNESS OF THE TSAR.

The Tsar's condition has slightly improved.

THE GOLD ON THE BUNDESRATH.

The gold seized on the steamer Bundesrath has been released by order of the Hanseatic Court.

SIR H. CAMPBELL-BANNERMAN AT DUNDEE.

Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman, speaking at Dundee, said the door was open for Lord Rosebery's return, but he must be chief of the whole Liberal Party.

RUMOURED NEW LOAN.

It is rumoured in the City that the Government will issue a guaranteed Transvaal loan of fifty millions sterling.

WRECK OF AN EXPRESS TRAIN.

The Paris and Madrid express has been derailed near Bayonne. Seventeen passengers were killed, including the Italian Envoy and Chilian Minister and members of his suite. Twenty passengers were also injured.

THE MAILS.

LONDON, Nov. 15.

The Bombay mails of the 3rd instant arrived at Brindisi yesterday.

SUEZ, Nov. 15.

The P. & O. Company's steamer Victoria, with the outward mails of the 9th instant, left here at 8 a.m., to-day.

BOMBAY COMMAND ORDERS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, Nov. 16.

23rd Bombay Rifles—Lieutenant Hardie, Double Company Officer and officiating Quarter-Master, to be Quarter-Master, vice Captain Shewell, vacated on promotion, dated 14th September.

Military Works Service—On return from leave Captain Money Shewen, R.E., is posted to the Quetta District, Military Works Service, on re-transfer from No. 3 Company.

Bengal Sappers and Miners—Lieutenant Hill, Royal Engineers, is posted to the Quetta District, Military Works Service.

The undermentioned Officer of the Royal Artillery has passed in Range-finding :—Captain Hall, No. 8 Company Eastern Division.

R. G. A.—Under instructions received from the War Office it is notified that Captain Keogh has been posted to No. 4 Company Eastern Division.

R. G. A.—2nd-Lieutenant Theobald, on first appointment, has been posted to 22nd Battery R. F. A.

Under instructions received from Army Headquarters, India, the undermentioned Officers are directed to proceed to England as early as possible :—Captain Coode, 58th Battery R. F. A. and Lieutenant Brooke, 34th Battery R. F. A.

Under instructions from Army Head-quarters, India, the undermentioned Officers, on promotion, are directed to proceed to South Africa as early as possible to join units, to which they have been posted, travelling at public expense :—Captain MacGregor, 2nd Battalion R. S. ; and Lieutenant Luard, 1st Battalion Shropshire Light Infantry.

The undermentioned Officers have been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to return to duty :—Captain Gordon, Aden Troops ; Captain Newnham, 4th Bombay Cavalry ; Captain Nurse, 13th Bombay Infantry ; and Captain Bennett, Indian Medical Service.

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India, on private affairs, under leave rules for Staff Corps ; specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty :—Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Evan, Staff Corps, Commandant, 27th Bombay Light Infantry, for one year ; pension service, twenty-sixth year, commenced 19th February.

The undermentioned Officer is granted leave to proceed out of India, on medical certificate, under leave rules for Staff Corps ; leave to have effect in India from date of being struck off duty till date of sailing, specified period to count from date of leaving India :—2nd-Lieutenant Lewis, Staff Corps Squadron Officer, 7th Bombay Lancers, for six months, pension service, second year, commenced 25th January.

The undermentioned Officers have been granted leave of absence :—

Buffs East Kent Regiment 1st Battalion—2nd-Lieutenant Baldwin, for 12 months, on medical certificate, out of India.

Royal Fusiliers.—Captain Stone and Lieutenant Forester, for 12 months, on medical certificate, out of India.

Extension of leave has been granted to the following Officers :—Royal Fusiliers—Captain Lyon-Campbell from 13th October to 30th November, pending embarkation ; Governor's Body-Guard—Lieutenant Crawford, for two months, on medical certificate ; 28th Bombay Pioneers—Captain Thomson, for four months, employed at St. Helena ; 28th Bombay Pioneers—Lieutenant N. B. Dunscombe, for 3 months, on medical certificate.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

SIMLA, Nov. 16.

Movements in the relief of the 4th and 20th Hussars at Mhow and Secunderabad have been cancelled owing to plague and scarcity of supplies in some of the routes by which they would have had to proceed.

Lieutenant Cardew, Dorset Regiment, died at Kasauli, to-day, from an abscess in the liver.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

SUEZ, Nov. 15.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Nankin arrived here, from Colombo this morning.

PORTSAID, Nov. 15.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Manora left here, this morning.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, Nov. 15.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed steady.
Surats quiet.
Good Bhownugger 4 14-32.
The Manchester Market has been firm.

2 3-4 per cent. Consols	98 5-8
2½ per cents. Reduced	100 1-2
3 per cents. Reduced	100 1-2
3 per cents. Consols	100 1-2
3 1-2 per cent. Sterling Loan	100 1-2
3 1-2 per cent. Rupee papers	64 7-8
Bar Silver	29 9-16

The Bank of England Returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results :—Total Bullion £31,900,000, Increase £200,000 ; Public Deposits £6,830,000, Increase £900,000 ; Other Deposits £39,300,000, Increase £900,000 ; Other Securities £24,830,000, Increase £700,000 ; Notes and Gold £20,200,000, Increase £400,000. The Bank's Reserve is 44 per cent. of the Liabilities.

THE VICEROY'S TOUR.

VISIT TO THE GERSOPPA FALLS.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

GERSOPPA FALLS, Nov. 15.

YESTERDAY afternoon, his Excellency the Viceroy left the R. I. M. S. Clive, which had anchored off Honavar, en route for the famous Gersoppa Falls, and after a journey of some four hours in a steam launch arrived at Gersoppa about 8 p.m. The journey was a somewhat exciting one, as in spite of the excellent launches provided by Messrs. Shepherd and Co. of Bombay, and the elaborate arrangements made for lighting the river, bumps and stoppages were frequent, and it was only after several transhipments that the party arrived safely at their destination. The village of Gersoppa is situated, as it were, at the foot of the Ghat and some twenty miles from the Falls, which bears its name. Starting early this morning, his Excellency should arrive at the Mysore bungalow about 2 p.m., where every arrangement has been made by the Maharaja for his reception.

His Excellency the Viceroy and Staff left Gersoppa at 8-30 yesterday morning, and started on their 20-mile ride up to the Falls. Everything had been done to make the journey as easy and comfortable as possible, and a light bullock tonga had been especially sent for Mysore for the Viceroy to travel in, while riding horses had been provided for the rest of the party. The road is a charming one, running through dense tropical jungle, which towards the latter part of the journey opens out into parklike forest with occasional glimpses of the distant hills and of the river far below. It was, too, in splendid order, and as bare of rocks and stones and other obstructions as is a London street at 6 o'clock on a spring morning. At 1 p.m. the Viceregal party arrived at the banks of the river and were here met by Colonel Desaraj Urs, who had come from Mysore to welcome the Viceroy on behalf of the Maharaja. Crossing the river in an elaborately constructed and decorated ferry boat, the Viceroy was received, as he disembarked on Mysore territory, by a salute of thirty-one guns from a battery, or what made an excellent substitute for one, craftily concealed in the jungles by the river-side. Major Jones and Mr. Bowring were in waiting to meet his Excellency and to these two officers is due the excellence of all the camp arrangements. A carriage was drawn up ready for the Viceroy and also an escort of the Mysore Imperial Service Troops, mounted and turned out in that way which has done a great deal towards making these troops known as among the smartest of the Imperial Service Troops of the Empire. A drive of about a mile brought the party to the Mysore bungalow, built, as it were, right on the edge of the Falls, and from the verandah of this bungalow, which is to be his Excellency's residence during his visit, the first view of the famous Falls was obtained. The bungalow is situated nearly on a level with the top of the Falls, and, viewed from here, the panorama, which spreads out before one, is surpassingly beautiful—a vast amphitheatre of rock, a huge chasm, a cliff close on a thousand feet high, and pouring over this into a boiling cauldron below three great gleaming columns of white water, and closer in another fall, which seems like a long silvery waving vein so softly and quietly does it descend. The most distant fall is the one fittingly known as the "Rajah," or great fall, as from the spot where it dashes out over the cliff it leaps sheer down without a break or interruption, a huge moving pillar of water, nine hundred feet high, till it is lost in the abyss below. Next comes the fall, known as the "Roarer," of which the upper part cannot be seen from the Mysore side, but it appears to shoot right out of the rock, half-way down the cliff, and, dashing into the side of the great fall, mingles with it, and disappears in a cloud of mist and spray. The next fall is appropriately known as the "Rocket," for constantly breaking up into little jets and shoots of water, glittering in the sunlight it reminds of the brilliant stars and sparks bursting away from a rocket in its downward flight. The fall nearest to the bungalow is, perhaps, the most beautiful of all, and is called the "Dame Blanche," or sometimes the "Veiled Lady," and no bride ever wore a veil half so beautiful as this wonderful glistening sheet of white water, spread out like moving threads of the softest lace over the face of the great rock. A most delightful afternoon was spent in viewing the falls from all the best points, and in the evening a brilliant display of fire-works took place, huge bundles of burning straw being hurled into the falls and dashed blazing into the depths at the bottom. To-day his Excellency and party start on their return journey to Honavar, the visit having been greatly enjoyed by all the party, and nothing could have exceeded the excellence of all the arrangements made by the Mysore authorities for the Viceroy's reception and comfort.

ROYAL BOMBAY YACHT CLUB.

ENTRIES FOR TO-DAY'S RACES.

'Tomtit' class race—Start at 3 o'clock.

Boat's Name.	Entered by.
Tomtit,	Capt. A. G. de V. Chichester
Midget,	Officers, R. A.
Coralie,	Mr. C. H. Byrne.
Loma,	Capt. R. Lock.
Titmouse,	Mr. R. H. H. Hopkins.
Clutha,	Capt G. Lamb, I. M. S.

Course No. 15, *viz.*, from Committee Vessel round Tucker Beacon, leaving it to port ; round the two Rival Channel Buoys, N. W. and N. of Butcher Island ; respectively, leaving both to starboard ; round B. W. H. S. Buoy N. N. E. of Elephanta, leaving it to starboard and finishing between Markboat and Hog Island Bunder, length of course 10½ miles.

Yacht's hand cap race—To start with handicap allowances in hand (last yacht to go at 3-30).

Yacht's name.	Entered by.
Nanta,	Mr. G. T. W. Olver.
Forella,	" C. T. R. Scovell.
Isca,	" James P. Chystal.
Chita,	" E. Camber.
Melody,	" J. B. K. Macbeth.
Stella,	" Col. H. W. Boyd, I. M. S.

Course No. 16, *viz.*, from Committee Vessel round Butcher Bunder, leaving it to port ; and Red Chui Buoy, north of Butcher Island, leaving it to starboard ; round B. W. H. S. Buoy, N. N. E. of Elephanta, leaving it to starboard and finishing between Markboat and Hog Island Bunder, length of course 10½ miles.

PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

THE P. and O. S. N. Co.'s s. s. Egypt, Captain G. L. Langborne, will sail to-day for London, Brindisi, and Aden, with English mails and the following passengers :—

Allenby Capt A H
Anson Mr E
Ball Mr K
Ballentyne Mr Thos
Battan Mr and Mrs C
Barkley Mr and Mrs J G
Bell Mr W
Bollean Lieut E R P
Bignell Col and Mrs E D F
Bond Capt and Mrs C R
Brown Mr F W
Biscoe Mr G W T Tyndale
Brett Major W E
Burn Mr R W
Burns Miss
Carter Mr W M
Carden Capt J R
Castle Mr Mrs and child
Clarke Mr S C
Congreve Mr C R S
Chapman Mr R B
Cook Capt Mrs S and child
Cowie Mr and Mrs A H G
Cordeaux Mrs C H
Colvin Mrs E G and 2 children
Dalton Mr C N
Dwane Mr
Dixon Mr F T
Evetts Miss
Excell Miss
Fagan Major and Mrs C G F
Fagan Mrs M F
Gillan Mr and Mrs R W
Gilber Mr S J
Goring Major W
Harris Miss
Hamblin Mr J Alfred
Henderson Mr T H
Hodson Mr and Mrs C W
Kemp Mrs and Miss
Kenny Mr S H
Knight Mr J
King Mrs A M
Lane Miss
Legatt Mr E H
Lloyd Miss
Limsden Capt and Mrs
Lothbury Mrs
Maguire Mr
Mackay Mr C J
Maclean Lt and Mrs C A H
Miles Mr Mrs and infant
Millard Miss
Meiver Mr Mrs Chas and two Misses
Maulson Mr J
Nicholls Lieut R R
Orr Mr Mrs and Miss
Pope Mr T A
Painton Mr A
Penrose Lieut-Col E R
Pol Mr Hulsholf
Rigey Lieut E B
Pratt Mrs and 2 children
Place Mr and Mrs E W
Roe Ca. t and Mrs
Rowe Captain James
Schenk Mrs and child
Stevens Mr child, and 2 infants
Starling Mr M H
Seymour Mrs
Sykes Mr C F
Summerhayes Miss
Taylors Mr G N
Waterfield Mr G
Twigg Major R H
Thackwell Major and Mrs C
Turner Mrs A
Tyrell Capt and Mrs H
Tounchy Mrs and child
Thomas Mr
Wace Mrs and Miss
Wood Mr Mrs and infant
Whistler Major A E
Yate Mrs and Miss

TRAMWAY PASSENGERS' GRIEVANCE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—The other day while travelling by tram to Mazagon and Parel from the Elphinstone Circle, Fort, the conductor removed the transfer portion of my ticket and, as the car in which I was did not proceed direct I was obliged, in consequence, to purchase a fresh ticket at Pydhowni. No notice has so far as I was aware appeared in the newspapers, that passengers were not allowed to use the shortest or most convenient route. In a company so well managed I feel certain that arrangements can and will be made for transfers at Pydhowni or Victoria Terminus, in both directions, free of cost.—Yours, &c.,

W. P. GREEN.

ARRIVAL OF THE OVERLAND MAILS OF 2ND NOVEMBER.

THE P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Arabia, Captain J. L. Parfitt, with English mails of the 2nd instant, arrived in Bombay harbour early yesterday morning.

THE WEEK'S MAIL SUMMARY.

LONDON, Nov. 2.

HOME.

ARRIVAL OF THE CITY IMPERIAL VOLUNTEERS.—The Aurania did not arrive at Southampton until 4 p.m. on Saturday. Consequently the reception of the Volunteers in London was not carried out till Monday. The route from Paddington to St. Paul's Cathedral was profusely decorated, and dense masses of enthusiastic spectators filled the streets. From Pall-mall onward the force employed to keep back the crowds proved unequal to the task. Many persons were seriously and two or three fatally injured. At St. Paul's a brief service was gone through, and the Volunteers then proceeded to the Guildhall, where they were received by the Lord Mayor and Corporation. Then followed a banquet to the regiment on the ground of the Honourable Artillery Company at Finsbury, when Lord Wolseley read messages from the Queen associating herself with the enthusiastic welcome accorded to the City Imperial Volunteers, and alluding in pathetic terms to her sympathy with the relatives of those who have fallen, and to her own loss of a dear and most gallant grandson.

Drama.—At cer Majesty's Theatre on October 31 there was produced a "historical" play by Mr. Stephen Phillips, entitled "Herod."—At the Royalty last week a play by Mr. Frank Harris, entitled "Mr. and Mrs. Daventry," was staged.

Ecclesiastical.—The union of the Free Church of Scotland and the United Presbyterian Church was consummated on Oct. 30.

Law.—Mr. Justice Stirling has been appointed a Lord Justice of Appeal and Mr. M. Ingle Joyce a Judge in the Chancery Division of the High Court.—In the Central Criminal Court, Martha Adamson and Louisa Belton, for the manslaughter of Gertrude Dick by pushing her into the Regent's Canal, were sentenced to nine months' hard labour.

London.—The first elections for the new borough councils were held yesterday.—Lord Rosebery, speaking on October 26 at a meeting of the London branch of the Christian Social Union, said he believed the new councils would understand that they were the outcome of the great federalized London governed by the County Council, and that they would regard themselves as bound to give loyal support to the parent body. The question of housing was the capital question in London, and he would insist on the new councils uniting to set in force their powers in this direction.

Lord Rosebery is severing his connection with the Turf, and all his horses in training, 20 in number, were offered for sale at Newmarket on October 25. Of these, 18 were sold for an aggregate of 7,305 guineas.

Mr. Winston Churchill, M. P., lectured in St. James's-hall on Oct. 30 on his experiences in the South African war. Lord Wolseley presided, and declared the British officer to be the finest specimen of humanity and the finest fighting man in the world.

Political.—The result of the polling for Orkney and Shetland was declared on Oct. 30. Mr. J. G. Wason, Liberal Unionist, won the seat, thus increasing the Government majority to 134.—Sir M. Hicks Beach, speaking at Liverpool last week, observed that in the new House of Commons the Imperialist sentiment would be of unprecedented strength.—Lord Kimberley, speaking at Wymondham on the 31st, said that Liberals were just as much Imperialists as the Conservatives were. If Lord Salisbury gave up the Foreign Office he would still exercise a strong influence over the Foreign Secretary, and that influence, on the whole, would be for good.—Mr. G. Wyndham spoke at Dover on the same night.

THE EMPIRE.

The War.—Reports from various quarters indicate the continuance of a spirit of active hostility among the Boers, both in the Transvaal and the Orange River Colony.—An attack on Jacobsdal, near Kimberley, on Oct. 25, was only repelled after severe fighting. The inhabitants who admitted the enemy into their houses by night have had their houses destroyed. The Boer commandant Bosman was killed.—Lord Roberts reports that General Paget's troops captured nine wagons and 65 prisoners, and a large number of cattle in three days.—A Reuter telegram says that, on Oct. 25 Paget was attacked by Boers with a convoy of cattle. He not only defeated the attack, but took 23 prisoners and 25,000 head of cattle, "the biggest single haul of the campaign."—On Oct. 24 a combined attack was made on the Boer position near Zeerust by Lord Methuen, General Douglas, and Lord Erroll. The enemy were dislodged and scattered. Six dead and wounded Boers were left on the field and 28 prisoners and a large number of cattle were captured. Our casualties were eight men wounded and one missing.—On the 29th Lord Methuen marched from Buffelshoek, and General Douglas from Zeerust to Makokskoof. They captured three prisoners and six wagons.—The capture of a Boer laager near Krugersposrt is announced.—A party of Boers occupied Philippolis for a short time but the little garrison held out, having three killed and 11 wounded before being relieved.—A Lieutenant with 50 cavalry details fell into an ambush a few days ago between Springfontien and Philippolis, and 43 were captured.—Lord Roberts, describing the ceremony of proclaiming the annexation of the Transvaal on Oct. 25, says it included a march past of 6,200 troops in garrison, who all looked in the best of health.

General Barton, at Frederickstad on the same day, attacked a force of Boers under De Wet, and scattered them in all directions, but lost 15 killed and 46 wounded. The Boers left many dead on the field ; 23 of them were taken prisoners and there are 30 of their wounded in our hospital. The fighting was at close quarters, and the bayonet was used. Three Boers, who held up their hands in token of surrender and then treacherously fired on our men, were tried by Court-martial and sentenced to death.—General French has reached Heidelberg. He accounted for 100 of the enemy during his march, besides capturing a great quantity of cattle and stores.—In consequence of the numerous attacks on the railway near Ventersburg, General Hunter drove the enemy out of Ventersburg on Oct. 30. Major Hanwell, R. F. A., was killed.—General Knox had a most successful day on the 27th against De Wet's force during its retreat. The Boers lost considerably and left two guns and three wagons in our hands. Another of their ammunition wagons was blown up by a shell. Darkness and a heavy storm stopped the pursuit. The British had no casualties.—A small party holding Holfontein Siding were surprised on the 28th by some Boers, who were only able to capture a few rifles and some ammunition before they were driven off.—A despatch from Wynberg says that four Boer laagers have been located near that town.—Lord Roberts says there is an increasing disposition on the part of the Boers possessing property to co-operate with us in establishing peace.—Lord Roberts hopes to leave South Africa about November 15, and Lord Wolseley will carry on the duties of Commander-in-Chief until the end of November.

FOREIGN.

China.—Our Peking Correspondent says the French reply to the proposals of Li Hung Chang repeats that an indemnity of 450 millions sterling is required, and that Prince Tuan, Prince Chuang, Tungfuh-siang, Yu Hsien, Duke Lan, Chao Shu-chiao, and Kang Yi. On Oct. 26 the Foreign Ministers added the names of Prince Yi and Ying Nien to those of the officials whose execution is demanded by France. One of the latter, Kang Yi, is already dead, and according to a Chinese report, Prince Yi and Yu Hsien are also dead. Sir C. MacDonald left Peking on 25.—Our Peking Correspondent reports the occupation of Paoting-fu by the allied forces without opposition. General Gaselee reports that the British troops there will return to Peking and Tien-tsin by November 6. A Pao-ting-fu message states that the officer commanding the allied troops, moved by the story of the cruel treatment of the rescued missionaries, has arrested the Provincial Treasurer, who is chiefly responsible. Our Peking Correspondent says satisfaction is felt that others of the Pao-ting-fu officials are to be brought to trial, and adds that it has been decided to include in the indemnity to be demanded from China the claims of Chinese for losses inflicted on them in consequence of their employment by foreigners.—Our Shanghai Correspondent states that a son of the reactionary Governor of Hupei has been appointed Commissioner of Militia in the Yang-tsze region, with instructions to raise a new army similar to the Boxer organization.—The rebel movement in the south appears to be extending.—Italy and Austria-Hungary have adhered to the Anglo-German Agreement.—France, Russia, and the United States have also sent replies, which are generally affirmative.

France.—The Premier, M. Waldeck-Rousseau, delivered an important speech on the 28th at Thouluse on the policy of the Government.

OBITUARY.—Prince Christian Victor of Schleswig-Holstein, elder son of Prince and Princess Christian and grandson of the Queen, has died of enteric fever at Pretoria. We have also to record the deaths of Prof. Max Muller ; Mr. Sims Reeves ; Baron de Ronzis, Italian Ambassador to this country ; the Earl of Darnley ; Mr. R. M. Newton ; Lt.-Col. F. C. Gavegan ; Mr. W. Anderson, F. R. C. S. ; Gen. Alex. Carnegy ; the Rev. Dr. J. A. Garr ; Sir John Cowan ; Maj. Peter Forbes ; Lt.-Col. H. C. B. Gray ; Col. H. T. Halahan ; Surg.-Gen. J. Lamprey ; Lt.-Col. A. G. Lowry ; Canon H. E. Maddock ; Mr. W. Yardley.—*Times*

THE SERVICES AT HOME.

INDIA OFFICE, Nov. 2.

ARRIVALS REPORTED IN LONDON.

Mr J N O Thurston, B
Mr M J Scobie, B
Mr F H Giles, B
Mr G P Rose, CIE, B
Mr R B Stewart, Bo Cov
Mr C R Roper, Bo Cov
Major G E Hyde-Cates, Bo
Mr M C Gibb, Bo Gov
Mr H R Hume, Bo
Mr W F D Fisher, Bo
Lieut-Col T H Plumer
Col A W C Bell
Capt W J Pridmore
Lieut H H Syer
Lieut L B H Haworth

EXTENSIONS OF LEAVE.

Col W H White, B, furl to Jan 11, 1901.
Major H E Banatwala, IMS, B, 2 mo MC
Mr A Langley, B Cov, 2 mo M C (cancels permission to return)
Mr C H Roberts, B, 5 days' furl
Mr J J Inglis, B, 2 mo M C
Major H M Abud, Bo, 3 days' furl
Mr T S Greenaway, Bo, 1 mo MC
Major A C Yate, 2 mo
Mr J K Williams, Bo 1 mo extraordinary leave
Lieut-Col E Palmer, to April 10, 1901.
Capt A A West, 3 mo
Capt P E Ricketts, to March, 23, 1901.
Capt G Y C Hunter, 3 mo
Lieut W H Lane, 3 days
Lieut F V de Burgh, 4 days
Lieut B RDaunt, 2 weeks
Lieut R G Devenish, 12 days
Lieut L E Fagen, 2mo
Engineer A Bonny, 15 days

PERMITTED TO RETURN,

Mr T W Richardson, B Cov
Mr M Reid, B
Mr C H Roberts, B
Mr D W Aikman, B
Mr R J Jenkins, M Cov
Major H M Abud, Bo
Mr J K Williams, Bo
Mr T S Greenaway, Bo
Col H M Mason
Major R M Maxwell
Major R Wapshare
Capt M Williamson
Lieut C E Edmonds
Lieut G de la P B Pokenham
Lieut G P J Goodwin
Lieut L L Wheatley

ARRIVALS FROM EUROPE.

THE P. and O. Company's mail steamer Arabia, which arrived in Bombay yesterday morning from Europe, brought a large number of passengers, prominent amongst whom were :—The Earl and Countess of Jersey ; Lady B. Villiers ; Sir Francis Maclean, Chief Justice of the Calcutta High Court ; the Hon'ble Sir Griffith Evans ; the Hon'ble Mr. Justice C. H. Hill ; the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ameer Ali ; the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harrington ; the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Salo ; the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rampini ; the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Stevens ; the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Stanley ; Surgeon-General Scott Price ; Major John Crimmins, V.C., Health Officer of the Port of Bombay ; Lady Blood, wife of General Sir Bindon Blood ; and the Hon'ble F. Macnaughton. The Earl and Countess of Jersey landed at the Apollo Bunder and drove to the Government House, where they are staying as guests of Lord and Lady Northcote.

MILITARY NEWS.

Lieutenant C. Kirkpatrick from the 12th Bengal Infantry, and Lieutenant C. J. Bruce Hay, from the 18th Dogras, are about to be appointed to the Corps of Guides.

Lieutenant L. W. D. Everett, 2nd Welsh Regiment, has been appointed Staff Officer at Colaba Depot.

2nd-Lieutenants Haywood and Moberley, R. G. A., are appointed to be Subalterns in No. 5 (Bombay) Mountain Battery.

The following postings are made :—Brigadier General Creagh to the Sirhind district ; Brigadier-General Gilchrist to the Madras district ; Colonel Anderson, Colonel-on-the-Staff, from the Southern Shan States to Bellary ; Captain Murray, temporary D. A. A. to the Madras Command.

Government have agreed to the strength of the British garrison of Thobba and adjoining camps in the Murree Hills being raised to 800 men and 40 women and 80 children during the summer months as a basis for the provision of hospital accommodation. At Quetta, at the Divisional Field Day before the Commander-in-Chief, on Tuesday, when all the troops in the garrison were concentrated at its conclusion at the Hanna Pass, four miles from the Cantonments, a regular blizzard of wind, rain, hail, and lightning set in, and drenched every body to the skin, but though the troops had to march home through the worst portion of the storm, no sickness has resulted. Lady Hart and a number of other ladies, mostly in open conveyances, were also in the thick of it.

AMERICAN RAILWAY ROLLING STOCK.

THE Calcutta Port Commissioners, at their last meeting, considered the proceedings of the Finance Establisment Committee on a note by the Vice-Chairman, reporting the result of tenders, invited for nine locomotives and 150 wagons. At the 303th meeting the Commissioners sanctioned the purchase of 150 wagons and nine locomotives, and the Commissioners' London agents were directed to invite tenders on the 5th instant. They cabled that the lowest tender was £172 for covered and £178 for open wagons. The last lot of covered wagons purchased in December, 1897, cost £117 each and the advance in price was consequently 50 per cent., which was unaccountable. The Vice-Chairman thereupon cabled that the Commissioners could not afford such prices. The Commissioners' agents had now invited tenders from America, which have not as yet been received. For locomotives, tenders were invited from both English and American builders, and a cable had been received, quoting the lowest English tenders, that of Nelson, Reid, and Company, as £1,545, in nine months' time. The lowest American was from the Pittsburgh Company at £1,200, free on board at New York, or £1,378 at Calcutta, in six months' time. It thus appeared that the English quotations exceeded the American by £225, or 23 per cent., in price and by 50 per cent. in time. The last lot of locomotives supplied by Nelson, Reid and Company in February 1899 cost £1,345 each, so they have now made an advance of £200 or 15 per cent. The freight for those engines from England was £37 each, while now against Calcutta it was £78 from America. The Vice-Chairman recommended that the tender of the Pittsburgh Company to deliver in Calcutta for £1,378 be accepted. The Committee advised that under the circumstances there was no alternative but to accept the tender of the American builders.

It was resolved that subject to the sanction of the Government of India, the tender of the Pittsburgh Company be accepted for the supply of nine locomotives at £1378 each, delivered in Calcutta in six months.

THE PATIALA STABLE.

THE sudden break up of the Patiala Stable, writes the *Pioneer*, will necessarily be a severe blow to up-country racing during the present season, and will be sensibly felt for some time to come, but it remains to be seen whether in the long runit will not prove a benefit to sport. It would at any rate be easy to make out a case showing that the rapid decline of interest in racing, which is now so marked in Upper India, dates from about the time when the overwhelming predominance of Patiala was established. The stable was so formidable in numbers as well as quality, and as the small owner had nowhere that he could go without meeting the ubiquitous stable he succumbed and was crushed out. Those who had the luck to become possessed of anything out of the common found it easier to realise its value by selling to the Maharaja, who was always ready with a good price for a good animal, than to trust to the risks and chances of the turf, and they, too, d ropped away. Thus, year by year, the circle of interest has contracted until we seemed to be coming to the time when there would be nothing left in between the bicycle gymkhana and the Civil Service Cup. What has become of the times when the ball was set rolling at the Lucknow Monsoon Meeting in August, when as much money would be lost and won as now changes hands in a season; and when one night was too short for the lotteries on the Civil Service Cup race ? Where are the merry gatherings at places like Dehar and Sonepore ? Sonepore has to be content with Assistant Scarries, and Dehra, that used to usher in the cold weather racing season each October has gone altogether. As far as general public interest goes the season might begin nowadays with the Army Cup meeting in the third week of November and conclude with the Meerut Spring meeting at the begining of March.

THE NEW MILITARY SECRETARIAT AT CALCUTTA.

BOMBAY ARCHITECT'S DESIGNS APPROVED.

THE Government of India recently offered a premium of Rs. 1,500 for competition among architects in India for the two best sets of elevation designs for the three main facades of the south block of the new Military Secretariat Buildings proposed to be erected in Calcutta. The competition has closed and the premium has been awarded to Mr. C. F. Stevens, of Bombay, the son of the late Mr. Stevens, who was the architect of so many splendid buildings in Bombay and other parts of India. The competitors were required to submit designs for the principal or south elevation of the new buildings which will face the Calcutta Maidan and for the east and west elevations which will also be visible from the Maidan. The materials intended to be used in the buildings are red brick and terra cotta. Mr. Stevens submitted designs in a very simple classic style to be carried out in brick pointed with terra cotta dressings, the design being similar to that of the new buildings being erected for the Chartered Bank in Bombay, with some differences in detail. Although simple in style the elevation has an extremely handsome appearance and Mr. Stevens' plans were selected as the best out of twenty-nine sets of drawings sent in.

ADDRESSES TO BHATTIA BARRISTERS.

A VERY largely-attended and influential meeting of members of the Bhattia community and others was held last evening, at the Framjee Cowasjee Institute, on the occasion of the presentation of congratulatory addresses to Messrs. Callyanjee Murarjee Taucker and Lukhmidas Rowjee Sapat, barristers-at-law, who arrived from England nearly three months ago ; and of wishing "bon voyage" to Mr. Liladhar Gordhandas Sampat, who is about to proceed to England for commercial purposes. It will be remembered that, on the return to Bombay of the former two gentlemen, the committee of the Bhattia caste, the majority of whom hold orthodox views with regard to crossing the "Kalia-pani," passed a resolution directing the members of the caste to abstain from holding social intercourse with them until the caste, in general meeting assembled, should arrive at a decision in the matter. The question still hangs fire. Meantime, yesterday's meeting was held by the advance party among the Bhattias to honour the gentlemen, whose proper social position among their caste-fellows remains undetermined. Mr. Naranjee Dwarkadas was proposed to the chair, but he graciously transferred the honour to Mr. Lukhmidas Khimjee, the patriarch of the caste, who happened to be present. The chairman having explained the object of the meeting, Mr. Heerjee Topan and Mr. Ramdas Ludha read the address to the barristers-at-law in English and Gujerati respectively, tendering the sincere congratulations of the "Bhattia Mitra Mandal," under whose auspices the meeting was held on their having successfully passed the examination of barristers-at-law, and welcoming their back in their midst "covered with such honour and distinction." The chairman enclosed the address in an elegant silver casket and presented it to Mr. Callyanjee Thucker, who made a suitable acknowledgment. The chairman consented to the request of the meeting to send a similar address to the "Bhattia Mitra Mandal" at Kutch Mandvie for presentation to Mr. Lukhmidas Rowjee Sapat, who is at present at Bhuj. Letters sympathising with the object of the meeting were read from Sir Bhalchandra Krishna and other gentlemen. It was then proposed by Mr. Gordhandas Khimjee, seconded by Mr. Liladhar Gordhandas and carried with acclamation, that the community wished "bon voyage" to Mr. Liladhar Gordhandas Sampat who was about to proceed to England for commercial purposes. Rao Bahadur Vassonjee Khimjee supported the proposition with an eloquent and impressive appeal to his caste men to eschew false religious prejudices against visiting Europe and expressed an earnest hope that the Bhattias would, like the Parsees, visit England in large numbers for commercial objects, and thus advance their position and improve their status in all matters intimately affecting their common welfare and enlightenment. The proceedings ended with a vote of thanks to the chairman and the distribution of flowers.

THE LATE PROFESSOR MAX MULLER.

THE following is the presidential address by Dr. R. G. Bhandarkar, at the meeting of Hindus held in Madhav Baz, on Sunday last :—Gentlemen,—I must begin by thanking you sincerely for having chosen me your chairman on the present occasion. We meet here to-day to give expression to our sorrow at the death of the great Sanskritist Professor Max Muller. Max Muller was born and educated in Germany and after he had gone through his usual course began his study of Sanskrit under Brukhouse. Attended by the fame of the great French scholar Berneau he went to Paris and prosecuted his studies of Sanskrit under his guidance Berneau called his attention to two periods in the development of Indian literature, *viz.*—the Vedic and Buddhistic, as interesting and important for the history of human thought. Max Muller made up his mind to devote himself to the former and conceived the idea of issuing an edition of Rigveda Sanhita with the commentary of Sayanacharya. As on account of its ambiguous language the Rigveda Sanhita was a sealed book he thought the commentary useful or indispensable for introducing one to its study. But the work was massive and it was not possible to print it without support. He therefore went to England and with the assistance of H. H. Wilson and others prevailed upon the Directors of the late East India Company to patronize the undertaking. He settled at Oxford and began the work earnestly. The first volume was published in 1874. The whole work thus took up twenty-five years of the best portion of his life. The labour that it entailed upon him was very great, though the text of the Rigveda Sanhita offers very few difficulties to the editor. The work of collecting different manuscripts of the commentary and choosing the best reading, as well as examining the works quoted in the commentary, and verifying the references, was laborious and the time spent on it cannot therefore be considered too long.

This edition facilitated the study of the Veda in Europe and it has also been of great use to us in India. Some time after he issued the first two volumes he published a history of ancient Sanskrit literature, in this he explains how many Vedas there are, what the nature of the works called the Brahmanas and the Sutras is, and what the Pratishakyas niruktas and such other help to the study of the Veda are. Very few people, even among Sanskrit Knowing Pandits here, have varied information given in this book. All of us repeat at the end of our Sandhya Vandan words as regards the School of Veda, to which we belong. We say, for instance, that I am a student of the Ashwalayana Shakha of the Rigveda. We do this without however knowing what the Rigveda is, or what the Shakha is, and who Ashva and Shaun were. Max Muller's book, however, has made all this plain to us.

The discovery of Sanskrit gave an impetus to the mind of Europe and in a very short time four new sciences or branches of learning came into existence, viz., comparative philology, science of language, comparative mythology and the science of religion. Max Muller contributed to the advance of these sciences and wrote essays or works in one or other of those branches and our knowledge of them in India is principally based on his work ; myself I may say my knowledge of these and of the Veda in general is entirely derived from Max Muller's writings. He has, therefore, in this way been our teacher. This is a reason why Indian scholars should feel thankful to him and deplore his loss, but it does not explain the universal sorrow which his death has caused in India and which this large meeting gives expression to. How is it that Max Muller was able to attract the hearts of so many, what was the key which he used to open them. I believe it is the same key as that which our present Viceroy mentioned in his reply in the Town Hall the other day to the address of the Bombay Corporation., viz., justice and

despair and fury are taken advantage of by his mother and sister, who plot, and successfully accomplish, the death of Mariamne. The King receives marks of special favour from Imperial Cæsar, but the gold turns to ashes in his hands, for Mariamne is dead. Without her his glory is valueless. While heralds proclaim him King of all Arabia, he listens with the vacant stare of a man who grasps only one thought, that the woman he worshipped lies murdered at his feet, the victim of his rage and jealousy. The situation is summed up in these words :

"Behold this Herod, motionless and mute ;
To me it seems that they who grasp the world,
The Kingdom and the power and the glory—
Must pay with deepest misery of spirit,
Atoning unto God for a brief brightness ;
And ever ransom, like this rigid King,
The outward victory with inward loss."

Mr. Tree, who had taken the part of King Herod, and Mr. Phillips, the author, were very enthusiastically received by the audience when the play was given for the first time last Wednesday evening.

THE "HA'PENNY PAPERS."

There is, just now, a rather fierce outcry against "the London ha'pennies," as they are familiarly called, but especially against the morning journals at that price. The "Mail" and the "Express" are the targets for animadversion so severe that Mauser bullets are not in it with the piercing character of the verbal projectiles, and so many in a number are they, that the rain drops in a monsoon downpour are few in comparison. I must confess "the ha'pennies" deserve all they get. They most certainly now and again are writing down to the Hooligan instead of lifting the disgrace of to-day in London to a citizen level. What is worse—for, after all, the "rough" element in a civilised population is never an especially large number, though it seems very large in London just now—is that these papers, because of their cheapness and smartness are finding their way into the hands of young people of both sexes and of all classes. Those who read the "Mail" and the "Express" seldom read anything else—unless it be the allied magazines published by their respective business organisations. The "ha'pennies" attract by their sensational headings. It was promised, when the "Express" was started last spring, that its readers were to find in its columns "true news"—whether good or bad—but that no special pre-eminence should be given to bad news. As far as matters have gone, the half-penny newspapers have yet to justify themselves. If they ever do so, it can only be by a radical change in their manner of conduct. I am hopeful of such a change eventually, for, already, they give signs that they are "affrighted at the sound themselves have made."

MR. EDMUND YATES'S "GHOSTS."

In a famous trial of nearly twenty years ago—Belt v. Lawes—the main point turned upon whether Mr. Lawes, a prominent sculptor, was unduly "helped" in his work. That is to say, whether he did not take to himself credit which rightly belonged to his assistants. These, in the slang of the time were denominated "Ghosts," and much appeared in the papers at the time concerning the "Ghosts" of literary men and painters as well as of sculptors. But, until this week, no one ever associated the once popular novelist, the editor and proprietor of "The World" for many years, with "ghosts." It seems incredible that Mr. Edmund Yates, the smart critic of all men and women, was himself, a deceiver of this kind. In his recent book of reminiscences, however, Mr. William Tinsley, the publisher, who brought out many of Mr. Yates' works, says distinctly that "Edmund" (as Mr. Labouchere used to call him in the days when "Truth" and the "World" practised Eatanswill journalism) merely supplied the plots and that Mr. Cashel-Holy wrote the novels, published in Mr. Yates' name only. In respect to one novel issued under the masculine name, the man did not even supply the plot. Not a little scandal has been caused in literary circles by this revelation. Mr. Yates was never greatly loved by his brethren of the pen, but they hardly credited him with a lady "ghost," Mr. Edmund Swedly Yates writes to protect his father's reputation. All, however, he says on this point is :—"Personally I am ignorant of any such partnership existing between Mr. Holy and my father, as is described by Mr. Tinsley. We have only Mr. Tinsley's bare assertion to go upon."

THE TATA UNIVERSITY ENDOWMENT.

Mr. Jamsetjee N. Tata will return to Bombay next week. He will be accompanied by Professor W. Ramsay, F.R.S., whose association with Lord Rayleigh, in some of the highest achievements in recent scientific discovery, is well known. In 1894 in conjunction with Lord Rayleigh Professor Ramsay explained to the world the new atmospheric element, named by them "Argon." The discovery of Helium, an elementary gas emitting a brilliant spectrum under the influence of the electric discharge, followed within a twelve month, and in 1898 Professor Ramsay made known through Berthelot at the Academy of Science of Paris yet another new gas which he calls Crypton. The learned Professor is to spend several months in India wholly, I believe, in connection with the University of Research. He will advise the preliminary committee, whereon Bombay is prominently represented. As to the actual constitution of the University all the plans are, I understand, in the crucible : nothing fixed or definite has yet been decided upon. Mr. Tata has had more than one conference with the India Office Committee, appointed by Lord George Hamilton, to confer with him. The members of this committee are—Sir Alfred Lyall, Sir John Edge, Sir James Peile, and Sir Philip Hutchins. It may be noped that whatever shape the statutes of the University finally take, they will be of such a character as will tend to the development of Indian knowledge and resources. There can be little donot that India possesses much knowledge which could, profitably, be turned to account.

BOMBAY MANGOES FOR EUROPE.

The question of the importation of mangoes and other Indian fruit into Europe, to which I have several times referred recently, but not I think more frequently than the importance of the subject merited, is being keenly watched not only in the West Indies but in Australia. Indeed the energetic go-ahead Australians are credited with nursing the hope that they may be able to forestall India in preparing the best Indian mangoes for the European market and in exporting them wholesale. They have even the audacity, I am told, to think about exporting mangoes to Madras, Calcutta and Bombay, so profound is the confidence they feel in their own energy and enterprise and their conviction of the slothfulness and commercial deficiencies of the Hindoos. In this connection an article, lately published in the "Hobrat Town Mercury" is both interesting and suggestive, besides being full of warning to all in India concerned in the matter. The article gives an account of the dry-air treatment of fruit and vegetables on long voyages, the new method from what the Hobart Town journal says appearing to have already achieved a perfect triumph. If there is no exaggeration in the statements made it is evident that the greatest bugbear in the way of the exportation of Indian mangoes, that is, the possible large percentage of decay during the voyage has been removed, and as regards Bombay mangoes gathered nearly ripe, could by means of this process apparently be kept two or three months in a state of freshness. Complaint is made however of the Covent Garden mode of selling to the London distributors and the Australian fruit exporters are seriously considering the advisability of making independent arrangements of their own for the disposal of their consignments on reaching this country. These are facts deserving of careful study by interested parties in Bombay who would do well to carefully follow all that is being done by the trade at the Antipodes. With ordinary vigilance Bombay should be able to anticipate anything attempted by Melbourne, Sydney or Hobart Town. It would be quite disgraceful to India if Australia should filch the exportation to Europe of Indian mangoes from Bombay—too great a humiliation to contemplate with philosophical equanimity. No one is better informed on all the conditions under which the proposal to export Indian mangoes has to be studied than Mr. J. N. Tata, whose enthusiasm is equal to his knowledge of the subjects and who, I hope, will on his return to Bombay, be able to counsel such steps as we will give the Western capital the permanent lead in the development of an industry, in which India by the force of natural circumstances should easily remain pre-eminent.

THE DEATH-ROLL.

Lord Darnley who was well known for his eccentricity and who never took his seat in the House of Lords having, it seems, an objection to subscribing to the usual oath ; Baron di Renzis, Italian Ambassador ; Sir John Cowan of Beeslach, Gladstone's right handman in the famous Midlothian campaign ; Mr. W. P. Sinclair, ex-M. P. ; Mr. William Yardley, playwright and formerly a famous 'Varsity cricketer ; Mr. William Anderson, Professor of Anatomy to the Royal Academy; Mr. R. M. Newton, whose name was very prominent about twelve years ago in connection with the Cass Case, which as the magistrate at Marlborough Police Court he investigated with such unfortunate results.

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THE C. I. V.'S WELCOME HOME.

MESSAGE FROM THE QUEEN.

SCENES DESCRIBED.

LONDON'S welcome home to the City Imperial Volunteers on Monday, October 29, was made the occasion for one of the greatest and most enthusiastic displays of public rejoicing that the Capital of the Empire has ever seen. The streets along the whole of the five-mile route, through which the troops passed, were packed with millions of people, and if at times the crowd was unruly, and burst through the cordons of police and Volunteers, it was for the most part good-humoured and well-behaved so long as daylight lasted. After the ceremonies of the day were over, however, the rough element, led by the "Hooligans" who have been so prominent in certain quarters of London recently, were given free play, and the streets were speedily reduced to chaos and pandemonium. The failure of the police at certain points to maintain a passage for the returning troops resulted in many accidents, some fatal and others serious.

PRESENTATION OF AN ADDRESS.

The special trains arrived at Paddington in good time, and just after the detraining of the troops, the deputation of the Paddington Vestry, headed by Mr. John Aird, M. P., and Sir George Fardell, M. P., was introduced to Colonel Mackinnon, to whom the Rev. W. Abbott, the chairman, presented the address of the Vestry, handsomely engrossed on vellum.

At twenty-five minutes to two the C.I.V.'s were formed up in marching order, and at twenty minutes to two the regiment, with Colonel Mackinnon at its head, and preceded by a band of music, marched out of the station to the enthusiastic plaudits of the huge crowds. The following was the order of the procession :—

Bands of the Honourable Artillery Company, City of London Artillery, and 3rd Middlesex Artillery.
Battery of the C.I.V.
Bands of the London Rifle Brigade, Inns of Court Rifles, and London Scottish Rifles.
Mounted Infantry of the C.I.V.
Bands of the Civil Service, Queen's Westminsters, and Artists Rifles.
Infantry Battalion of the C.I.V. (A, B, C, and D Companies).
Bands of the Finsbury Rifles, Victoria and St. George's Rifles, and 1st V.B. Middlesex Regiment.
Infantry Battalion of C. I. V. (remainder).
Machine Gun Section of the C. I. V.
Invalids of the C. I. V.

A flag of the late Transvaal Republic was prominently displayed in the procession. The invalids were in covered brakes. The band of the Grenadier Guards and a strong posse of mounted police brought up the rear.

THE MARCH TO THE CITY.

As the men marched up Praed-street and along Edgware-road the cheering was enthusiastic. By special command of the Queen the regiment passed through the centre gate of Marble Arch into Hyde Park. The crowds in the Park were scarcely less dense than in the previous part of the route.

The C.I.V.'s reached Hyde Park Corner on their March to the City at a quarter past two and were accorded a most enthusiastic reception by the thousands of people there assembled. The men were very smart and soldierlike. The surrounding buildings were were prettily decorated.

St. James's-street was reached at half-past two where a very large crowd gave them a tremendous reception. The clubs in the vicinity were profusely decorated and the windows and stands were crowded with sightseers. The St. James's Palace balconies accommodated a distinguished company, as also did a huge stand outside Marlborough House from which the Prince of Wales with a large party viewed the procession. At the Office a large dais had been erected over the principal entrance and was occupied by Lord Wolseley, Lord Lansdowne, Sir Evalyn Wood, the Hon. G. Wyndham (Parlimentary Under-Secretary ofState for War) Mr. Powell Williams (Financial Secretary) and the various military directors, secretaries and staffs.

"CHAOS."

"Chaos at Trafalgar Square" was the first warning we had (writes a correspondent) as we waited round the Griffin for the approach of the Lord Mayor and his mediæval equippage on the one side and the gallant C.I.V.'s on the other. It was a quarter to three at this time, and we had struggled with policemen and Volunteers sadly for fully an hour before reaching the historic borderland between the City and the outer Metropolis. The decorations on the Griffin were fair to look upon, and the view towards St. Clement Danes was a brave picture, somewhat subdued, however, under a heavy sky, grit in by walls of leaden grey, and lit up only by a candle-light of autumn costumes and befurred garments. We had been assured that the London crowd was invariably a good-humoured and orderly one, and that the London police were past-masters in the art of controlling masses of people. Proof of neither was given yesterday. By a quarter past three the blare of trumpets heralded the approach of the C.I.V.'s. All was well or comparatively so up till this time round the Griffin, although the Lord Mayor had given up his journey to the Temple Bar, and from Fleet-street came the echoes of broken crowds and pell-mellism. All eyes veered towards the Strand as the band of the Royal Horse Artillery appeared, followed by the Mounted Infantry, and as Colonel Mackinnon on horseback was recognised an instantaneous wave of snow-white handkerchiefs rose and rippled from the church, along both sides of the Strand to Fleet-street. This was followed by cheer after cheer as the C. I. V.'s swung round St. Clement Danes and emerged in the broad and crowded space in front of the Law Courts. The first detachment, with "measured tread and slow," stepped past the "Griffin" to the strains of the "Boys of the Old Brigade," the infantry later on deciding four deep along the narrowing thoroughfare into Fleet-street to the familiar notes of "Auld Lang Syne" and "Rule Britannia." At this stage of the procession the enthusiasm knew no bounds, and, carried presumably off their feet by excitement, the people who were packed on the pavement thicker than the proverbial herrings, broke through the feeble line of Inns of Court Volunteers, ignored the occasional policeman, and almost instantaneously the comparative order that had prevailed, became as in Trafalgar-square, chaos. Thick as the crowd was, it was constantly being augmented by streams of people who flocked in from all the streets converging on the Strand and Fleet-street, with the result that police and Volunteers were hopelessly overpowered. Women fainted, children were trampled under, and roughly shouldered each other, and the ambulance corps speedily found a shower of patients on its hands and stretchers. Meantime the progress of the famous regiment was completely barred, and the crowd always more or less good-humoured but hopelessly disorderly showered cigars, sweetmeats, and cakes upon the heads of the temporary followers of Mars. Rushes on the part of the police and Volunteers, and the occasional appearance of a mounted detachment cleared the congested thoroughfare temporarily, only to make matters worse when the pressure was relieved. Half-hour succeeded half-hour, and the seething masses round the Griffin grew more unruly until the C.I.V.'s were glad to accept them for goodwill and literally to squeeze along Fleet-street in single file or in twos or threes, until Ludgate-hill and finally St. Paul's was reached. It was a sorrowful progress, and the procession became ultimately more like a Boer debacle than a home-coming pageant.

IMPRESSIONS AT ST. PAUL'S.

(By One who was There.)

We who were privilaged to be present at St. Paul's Cathedral on Monday felt that we were taking part in the central and outstanding feature of London's magnificent welcome to her citizen soldiers. Before their departure for the front, the regiment assembled in contingents in the great Cathedral, and there amid all the solemnity and heartsearching which the occasion demanded, they besought the Divine blessing upon their efforts to worthily sustain the honour of their country's flag. What more appropriate, therefore, than that they should, upon their safe return, march, straight to the same sacred building, and there, with the memories of their stern fights thick upon them and with the plaudits of their fellow-citizens still ringing in their ears, join reverently in "a service of Public Thanksgiving to Almighty God"? The delirious and rapturous rejoicings of the streets were hushed beneath the vast dome of St. Paul's. During the long and weary wait for the appearance of the City's heroes the Cathedral was silent and undisturbed by any sound save the occasional tramp of feet, as the clergy in their vestments slowly made their way towards the great west door there to await the arrival of the troops, and the pealing of the organ as from time to time a voluntary was played upon it by Mr. Macpherson, Sir George Martin's assistant.

The general congregation had assembled early ; and indeed by two o'clock there was scarcely a seat vacant. The writer wor-hipers were to sit immediately under the dome, and here a vast expanse of empty chairs had been reserved for their use. Shortly after half-past two the choir and clergy, among whom the Bishop of Stepney, the aged Dean Gregory and Archdeacon Sinclair were conspicuous, accompanied by the wind instrumentalists of the Kneller Hall Band, walked slowly in procession to the west door, and meanwhile the deep-toned bells of the Cathedral rang out a joyous peal. But still the Volunteers did not come, and as the minutes passed by rumours began to reach the Cathedral of blocked streets, of broken barriers, and of police and Volunteers unable to withstand the excessive pressure of the crowds. But our suspense was not over yet. The minutes sped on, and we began to fear lest the C. I. V.'s should be unable to force their passage through the throng. There were even suggestions that it might be necessary to postpone the service once more. But scarcely had four o'clock struck than the congregation heard a commotion outside. The echoes of cheering upon Ludgate Hill broke upon their ears ; then followed the sound of bands and the clashing of the Cathedral bells again renewed. The west door was thrown wide open, and remarkable sight met our eyes. From the seats beneath the pulpit in which we sat it was possible to see the crowded windows in St. Paul's Churchyard. The roar of welcoming cheers from thousands of throats increased momentarily in volume, handkerchiefs and flags fluttered out from a hundred windows simultaneously, and the movement of these as they were vigorously waved by the excited spectators produced an effect kaleidoscopic and exceedingly pretty. Inside the Cathedral, however, we were perforce compelled to preserve a studied silence, though we would fain to have joined in a more vocal expression of our welcome to the returning Volunteers. But a quarter of an hour later there was a manifest stir among the crowded congregation. The first contingent of the civilian soldiers were entering the cathedral. First came the Mounted Infantry, and the clanging of their spurs as they came on with martial tread resounded through the pillared fane. They rapidly took their places beneath the dome, and as one and another of them knelt down and engaged in a few moments of silent prayer it was evident that the solemnity of the occasion was not lost upon them. Then, after a brief pause the Infantry battalion followed with the captured flag of the late Transvaal Republic proudly borne at their head. A few minutes more, and the troops, bronzed by the African sun—many of them with redbrick faces that rivalled their khaki uniforms in colouring—were all seated ; the blare of the trombones had struck the first note of gladness and thanksgiving, the processional hymn, "Praise, my soul, the King of Heaven" was being harmoniously sung by choir and Volunteers, and the service had begun.

The element of thanksgiving was maintained from beginning to end of a ceremony which will live long in the memories of all who joined in it. The music, some of which had been specially composed for the occasion by Sir George Martin, was bright and cheerful, and it was rendered as perfectly as it could possibly be by the cathedral choir. But perhaps the most pleasing feature of this part of the service was the heartiness with which the Volunteers themselves joined in singing the well-known hymns "Now thank we all our God" and "All people that on earth do dwell." The Bishop of Stepney's brief sermon, which had for its text the two appropriate words "Welcome home!" was listened to with rapt attention. He reminded his hearers in a few touchingly eloquent sentences of their lost comrades, and then told the C.I.V.'s of the wholeheartedness of the rejoicing which was being associated with their return to the City which had sent them forth to fight for Queen and country at a dark hour in England's history. And then, perhaps more impressive than all, the service was concluded by the singing of the National Anthem. Sir George Martin facing the congregation, stood upon the steps of the chancel, and to his beating "God Save the Queen" burst forth triumphantly. The volume of sound produced by the voices of the fifteen hundred Volunteers was as striking as was the manifest earnestness with which the hymn was sung. This over, the troops filed out into the darkness—it was dark when they entered the Cathedral—and to the renewed cheers of the still crowded streets the C.I.V.'s marched to the Guildhall.

THE GUILDHALL RECEPTION.

The C.I.V.'s did not reach the Guildhall until six o'clock, and it was twenty minutes later before the whole of the regiment had assembled beneath the shadow of Gog and Magog. The Lord Mayor welcomed them in an eloquent little speech, and at its conclusion Major-General Trotter, commanding the Home District then stepped forward, and said :—

"My Lord Mayor, with your permission I will read out an order which reached me en route :—

'War Office, October 29th, 1900.—Sir,—I am directed by the Secretary of State for War to forward you a copy of a special Army order issued to-day, and to inform you that the Commander-in-Chief desires that you will read it out to the City of London Imperial Volunteers at the most appropriate time and place.—I have the honour to be, Sir, your obedient servant, Evelyn Wood, A. G. To the General Officer commanding the Home District.'

The Army Order was as follows :—

"The Commander-in-Chief desires to express to the Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, and Men of the City of London Imperial Volunteers his high appreciation of the patriotic services rendered by the Corps. The gallantry and soldierlike qualities displayed by all ranks in South Africa have afforded him much gratification, and he offers them on behalf of the British Army a cordial welcome home."

The reading of this communication evoked loud cheering.

AT THE BANQUET.

The invitation card to the banquet bore the legend "4.30 for 5 p.m.," and at the earlier hour many guests had already assembled on the Artillery Ground of the H.A.C. at Finsbury. Those who had a more intimate knowledge of London demonstrations, or who were able to ascertain beforehand the slow progress made by the City imperials on their march through London delayed going towards City-road for some considerable time. It was (writes a representative) about a quarter to six when I arrived at Moorgate-st retestation, believing that by that time the C I V.'s might have struggled through the vast hosts of their over-enthusiastic admirers.

The speeches were brief and unfortunately inaudible to most of the guests. However, it did not much matter. Fathers and mothers were there more anxious to greet sons returned from the war and to carry them home in triumph than to listen to any speech-making. Colonel Mackinnon, however, was given a heart-rousing cheer as he rose to reply to the toast of the evening. In brief, soldier-like phrases he thanked his hosts, adding that they were fully aware that the welcome was paid to the whole of Her Majesty's soldiers in South Africa, and they were, indeed, fortunate in being able to regard themselves worthy of a share in that tribute. Whatever was due to the City Imperial Volunteers was due to one man, and that man was the City of London Imperial Volunteer. It was entirely due to the intelligence, patriotism, and bravery, and to the great esprit de corps shown by all ranks of the regiment, that any success which they might have achieved was due. They had, too, a great advantage in having their kind friends in London continually thinking of them. They were especially grateful for the presents of tobacco. He would like to thank the employers of labour who had retained at great sacrifices, their men's name on their books, and he only hoped that they would find that the nine months' labours in South Africa had not lessened their power for work. The men of the regiment would be for some time to come marked men, and he ventured to think they would set a standard to their corps. He was sure that just as they had served the Queen in South Africa, so they would show by their conduct at home that they were worthy of being Freemen of that great City.

The were again ringing cheers as Colonel Mackinnon resumed his seat. He modestly disclaimed any credit for the good work done by the C.I.V.'s, but that is an opinion shared by no one except the Colonel of the Regiment itself. The toast of the Lord Mayor followed, and thus an ever memorable day in the annals of the City came to a close.

THE QUEEN'S MESSAGE.

At the dinner given to the C.I. V. in the Armoury House, Finsbury-square, Lord Wolseley read the following message from the Queen, dated Balmoral :—

To the Commander-inChief, War Office.—Please assure the City of London Imperial Volunteers that I heartily share those feelings of joy and thankfulness which have been evinced in the enthusiastic welcome accorded to them to-day. Tell them with what pride and satisfaction I have received unvarying reports of their gallant and soldierlike conduct during the dangers and hardships of a trying campaign. While joining in the happiness of the many relatives and friends who celebrated the homecoming of their dear ones, I deeply sympathise with those who look in vain for them that, alas! no longer stand in the ranks with their comrades. I, alas! myself have to grieve for the loss of a dear and most gallant grandson, who, like so many of your companions, has served and died for his Queen and country.—V.R.I.

A LONG LIST OF ACCIDENTS.

FATAL CASES.

The breakdown of the arrangements made by the police and military authorities for guarding the route on Monday had the inevitable result of producing a large number of accidents. The reason everywhere given for the is not that there were not sufficient troops and police on the ground, but that they were not properly managed and that they commenced far too late to clear the ground at what may be described as the chief strategical points, such as the Marble Arch, Hyde Park Corner, Ludgate-circus, and Cheapside. At the first-named point the crowds, by their own helplessness and resistless pressure, bore down all obstacles, with the result that the great gates could not be opened in accordance with Her Majesty's desire, that the procession was thrown into confusion, and that a large number of inoffensive persons were badly injured. At Ludgate-circus the immense crowds were upon two occasions seized with panic with the result that from this point alone the St. John's Ambulance men obtained over a hundred patients for treatment. In Cheapside there were numerous accidents due almost entirely to the faulty management of the crowds.

St. Bartholomew's admitted twelve surgical cases and 59 minor cases were treated as the result of the crush. The dead bodies were also taken in, as the result of a scaffold accident in Finsbury-square. One of the victims was named Alfred Bovrington, aged 41, of 3, Rodeny-street, Pentonville.

Upon inquiry at Charing-cross Hospital a representative of the Exchange Telegraph Company was informed that as many as sixty cases were dealt with as a result of the C. I. V. procession from Paddington. Many of these were only cases of fainting, whilst a good many of those who were brought in were only suffering from bruises.

THE DISBANDMENT OF THE C.I.V.

DECISION OF THE WAR SECRETARY.

The Secretary for War has decided that the following course shall be adopted in the discharge from duty of the members of the City Imperial Volunteers :—

The parchment certificates of those members who elect to be discharged at the expiration of the furlough to be granted will be dated for the 30th of November, 1900, and the discharges will be confirmed for the same date, steps to carry them out being taken as early as practicable. There is no reason why such men should not be given their parchment certificates in advance, so that they may wear plain clothes and be able to resume their civil employment without loss of time. Being soldiers of the Regular Forces, all the men must be formally discharged in accordance with the provisions of the Army Act, and the discharges duly reported; while in the case of any men being discharged as medically unfit for further service the prescribed invaliding procedure for soldiers of the Regular Army should be adopted in order that their claims for pension may be considered by the Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital. Those members who elect to complete a year's service from the date of enlistment will be given to join the Provisional Battalion at Scoracliffe when their furloughs have expired. Form of "Proceeding on Discharge" and discharge and character certificates have been sent to the Depot Commandant of the City of London Imperial Volunteers.

POLICE TORTURE AT DHARWAR.

A case of Police torture, which has created quite a sensation among the Native community owing to the importance of the person involved in it, has been tried by Mr. T. Walker, the Sessions Judge. The Police Patel of Anigeri by name Gudu, with seven others, was charged with maltreating a man so severely, with a view to extorting a confession of a crime which he was alleged to have committed, that he died from the effects of it. During the trial, which lasted nearly four days, the Court was crowded to its utmost capacity. The Police Patel was defended by the Hon'ble Mr. Eardley Norton, of the Madras Bar, but as the evidence against him and his accomplices was overwhelming, the Patel was found guilty and sentenced to seven years' rigorous imprisonment with a fine of Rs. 2,000, in default two years' futher imprisonment, while the seven others were sentenced to undergo one year's rigorous imprisonment each.

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AN INDIAN DIVORCE CASE.

E GRUYTHER v. DE GRUYTHER AND FAICHNIE.

s was the petition, heard in London, of Leslie d de Gruyther, barrister-at-law, for the dissolu- of his marriage with Emma de Gruyther, nee k on the ground of her adultery with Capt. ick George Faichnie, Royal Army Medical Corps Barnard was for the petitioner; Mr. Rayden (Mr ey with him) for the respondent and co-respon-

Barnard said that the parties were married on 9, 1888, at the English Church, Jaunpore, India, here was no issue of the marriage now living, arties lived happily together at Lucknow and here in India until the end of 1897. In the win- 1895-96 the petitioner and his wife first made the intance of Capt. Faichnie, and they met a great t social gatherings. In August 1897, however, titioner met his wife one evening out driving the co-respondent and he became suspicious and me words with his wife on the subject. She er agreed to leave Lucknow the next morning such time as Capt. Faichnie should have left the and the petitioner was then satisfied his suspicions were uncalled for, and ed his wife's denials that any impropriety had d between herself and Capt. Faichnie. A few later the co-respondent left Lucknow, and as far petitioner knew, India. In December 1897 the ndent came home to England, and in the follow- October the petitioner followed her. The peti- and his wife lived in Nevern Square, S. W., ex- during the two short visits which the petitioner to India on business. In June 1899, while he unching with his wife at a restaurant, she in- ed him that she had been to the Academy with Faichnie the previous month while he (the ioner) was away from home. The petitioner was much annoyed, as he had believed that his wife's aintance with the co-respondent had entirely ed; but she again convinced him that she had not y way been intimate with Capt. Faichnie. The wing August the petitioner was again obliged to India, and in January of the present year he very much astonished to receive a letter from wife containing the following passages:—

December 29, 1899. My dear Leslie,—What I tell you will, I am afraid, shock and grieve dreadfully; please believe me I am very un- py about it all. You know when you were at e you asked me if I cared for any other man I said no; but I did; it wasn't true. I did care Fred. Faichnie, but as I had no idea he was fond me, I thought I might forget all about him. Now, wever, I find that he loves me and feel that there never be any happiness for me away from him. before he left for the Cape I stayed with him at hotel for a couple of days. This, of rse, is an irrevocable step, and I feel I have already ited too long in letting you know."

The petitioner immediately cabled to his wife that was coming home and wrote to her as follows:—

" Feb. 5, 1900. My dear Emmie,—I felt it my duty return immediately at any cost not only to protect yself but also, if possible, to save you from the effect your folly. I am absolutely astonished at your con- uct. I grieve for myself, but still more for you, and am now writing in anger and sorrow after matere deection. I would save you from lasting misery and ave you in the eyes of the world an honest woman stead of a perjured wife. You must, however, from is moment and for ever cease all communications ect or indirect with Faichnie, and place yourself conditionally and unreservedly in my hands. I hall not repeat this offer if you reject it. I can only ope, which I do not believe, that you will as the mis- ress of any man obtain the happiness which you re- ected as the wife of Leslie De Gruther."

On his arrival in London the petitioner received the following reply to his letter of Feb. 5:—

"13, 2, '00 My Dear Leslie,—...I thank you with all my heart for writing as you have done. Your offer s most generous and I feel the kindness that prompted t very deeply, but I cannot accept it. Capt. Faichnie eft England on Dec. 13 and not in October, as you uppose. We spent Dec. 4 and 5 at the Charing Cross Hotel together. We only took this step after long consideration and with a full knowledge of what the consequence were likely to be.

Upon making further inquiries the petitioner then discovered that while he was away from home the co-respondent had been in the habit of visiting at the conjugal home and of remaining alone with the respondent until a late hour at night.

Mr. Justice Gorell Barnes: Have you the necessary proof of the marriage?

Mr. Barnard: Yes, my lord. I produce a certified copy of the certificate of the marriage from the India Office (vide Westmacott v. Westmacott. 1899 P. 182.)

The petitioner was then called, and stated that at the date of his marriage he was in practice in India as a barrister. The respondent has an income of 400l. per annum of her own in addition to what he allowed her.

In answer to the Court, it was stated that the co-respondent had been served with the citation and petition at Elandslagte, near Ladysmith, where he was serving at the front.

Evidence having been given in support of the petition.

Mr. Justice Gorell Barnes pronounced a decree nisi with costs.

Mr. Rayden applied for the 'usual order for wife's costs."

Mr. Justice Gorell Barnes: On what grounds?

Mr. Rayden: She desired to be represented at the trial.

Mr. Barnard: The lady has 400l. a year of her own.

Mr. Justice Gorell Barnes: That is a complete answer to the application.

SAD DEATH OF AN OFFICER'S BRIDE.

THE "Newcastle Leader" of Nov. 1, publishes the following sad story:—The death is announced of Miss Margaret Pemberton, youngest daughter of Mr. R. L. Pemberton, D.L., of Hawthorn Tower, which took place early yesterday morning. It will be remembered that about ten days ago it was intimated that deceased was about to proceed to Bombay in order to be married to Captain Marshall, R.A., who is stationed in India with his battery. At that time it would appear that Miss Pemberton was not well, but her symptoms were not such as to cause any fear, and it was thought her illness would be only of a passing character. She was to have visited some friends before departing from England, but this arrangement, and that of proceeding to Marseilles with her brothers, Mr. Michael and Mr. Ralph Pemberton, had to be put off in the hope that she would be able to go on her journey later. So unapprehensive were Mr. and Mrs. Pemberton and family of deceased's condition, that her brothers preceded her, and are now on their voyage to Bombay, in the expectation of their sister following. The whole of deceased's wedding trousseau, wardrobe, marriage presents, &c., have also been despatched to be ready on her anticipated arrival. Miss Pemberton did not get better, but worse, and ultimately her illness developed into typhoid fever, which brought about her demise as stated above. The circumstances of the young lady's death are melancholy in the extreme and the preparations which were being made to celebrate the joyous event have been turned into sorrow and grief. The bridal veil has been exchanged for the shroud. Deceased was in her 26th year. She was a general favourite with everybody who knew her, and amongst the villagers at Hawthorn, and amongst Mr. Pemberton's domestics, she was highly esteemed. Deceased was looking forward with much happiness to her nuptials. Both Mr. and Mrs. Pemberton and the entire household have been stricken with grief. The greatest sympathy is felt for them at Hawthorn, Sunderland, Seaham Harbour, and district in their bereavement. The funeral of deceased has been fixed to take place at Hawthorn Church to-morrow. Deceased was half-sister of Mr. John S. G. Pemberton, M.P., for Sunderland, by a second marriage of her father.

THE WEATHER.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 A.M. ON FRIDAY, THE 16TH OF NOVEMBER.

SUMMARY.

With the exception of a brisk rise in Lower Sind and at Lahore, Sirsa and Bhuj the pressure changes have been small. The distribution remains unchanged, and the baric gradients are moderate to slight.

Winds are north-easterly to south-easterly at the majority of the reporting stations, and the force has been strong at Negapatam and moderate to light elsewhere.

The maximum temperature is from 4° to 6° in excess of normal at Bellary, Cuddapah, Bangalore, Trichinopoly Negapatam, Cochin, Mangalore, Surat, Bhavnagar Para, Rajkot and Agra, and the minimum as much as from 5° to 12° in Rajputana, the Indus Valley, the North-West Provinces, Central India, and at Deesa, Rajkot, Surat, Malegaon and Cuddapah. The highest temperature in the shade was 95° at Ahmedabad and the lowest 54° at Jubulpore and Hoshangabad.

Humidity changes are unimportant, and the skies are cloudy to overcast in Mysore, the Punjab, Ceylon, the Madras Presidency, on the Malabar Coast, in Rajputana and at Deesa.

About three-quarters of an inch of rain has fallen at Nagapatam, and very light showers at Jacobabad and Madras.

The winds on the South Coromandel Coast are cyclonic, and the weather on and off that coast is slightly unsettled, and local scattered rain is likely in South Madras. Nights are very hot in Rajputana, Central India and the North-West Provinces and at Deesa, and the weather will remain more or less cloudy, and light local scattered rain is likely.

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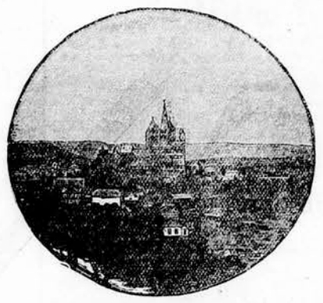

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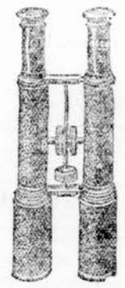

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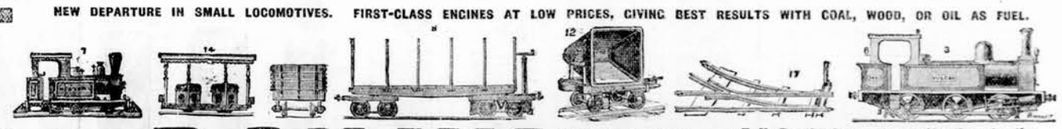

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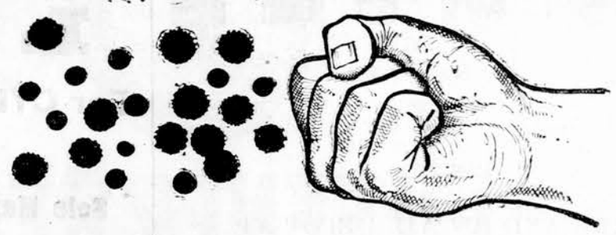

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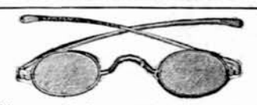

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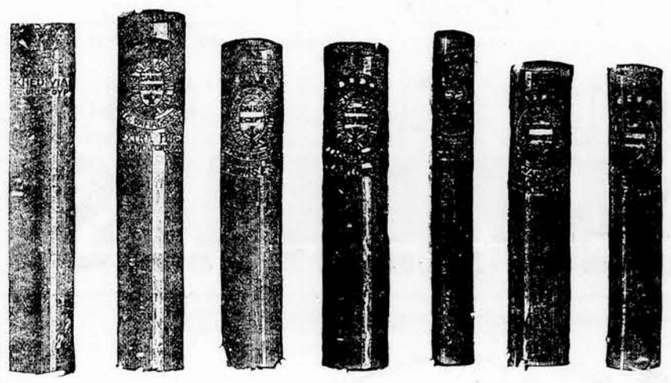

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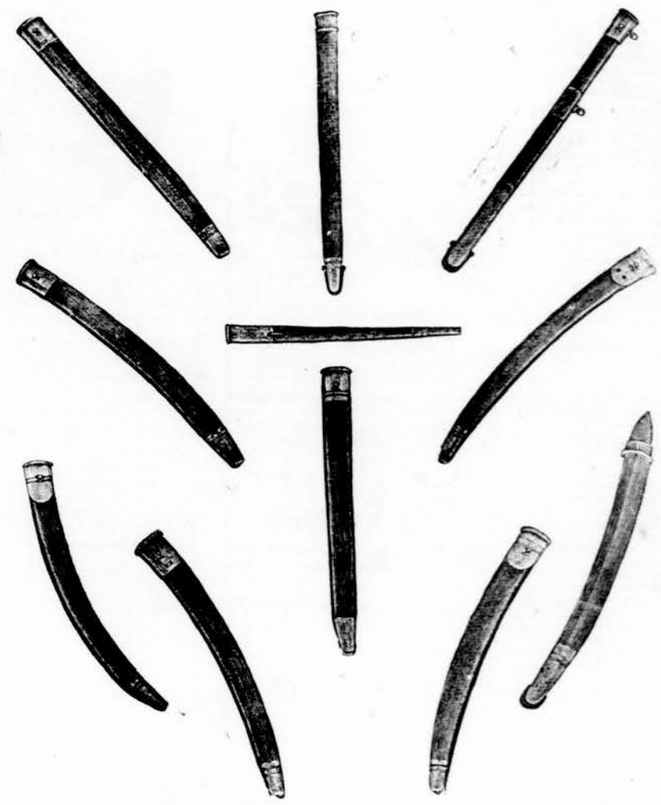

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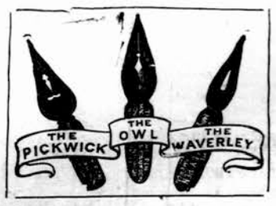

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